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## BOLD BURGLARS

J. B. Nuss & Co's Mill at Mainville Robbed.

**Safe Blown Open and Money and Papers to the Amount of $2100 Stolen.**

Last Saturday morning J. B. Nuss, the well-known proprietor of Nuss' Mill at Mainville, was awakened at three o'clock by a loud noise. His residence is near the mill, and he arose from his bed and went to a window, where he saw the burly forms of two men leaving the mill. Mr Nuss called one of his mill hands, W. R. Hostler, and they went over to the mill. The front door was unlocked. Hostler went to arouse the neighbors and Mr. Nuss and another mill hand Eugene Hower, who had arrived in the mean time, entered the building. They found the safe exploded and destroyed. The door was drilled full of holes, and dynamite or some other high explosive inserted.

It was done in such a way as to lead to the conclusion that it was the work of expert burglars. No amateur could have done it so shillfully. The contents of the safe were strewn about the office and an examination showed that $200 in cash and $2100 in papers in favor of Nuss & Co., and $400 in papers belonging to Nathan Houck were missing. Ninety dollars in checks were left.

There is no clew to the thieves. It is evident, however, that it must have been done by some one who knew that there was a safe in the office and that money was kept in it. No two men would have run the risk of an explosion unless they knew they could get some plunder. No strangers have beed seen about the premises, and no suspicious characters have been noticed there.

Mr. Nuss was in town on Saturday, sending out notice of the robbery and to stop payment on any papers in favor of J. B. Nuss & Co., that might be offered at the banks. Of course none was offered here and will not be.

There are burglars all through the country, and persons who have considerable sums of money or valuable papers on hand will be wise if they place them in the vaults of a bank.

### HARRIET CONNER.

Harriet Potter was born in Bloomsburg, Pa., August 3, 1858. She married W. P. Conner March 9, 1882, came to Horton in 1892 and peacefully passed away April 4, 1900. Another home is saddened for one of its best beloved has dritted to the "Home not made with hands." Always an unwelcome guest, it seems that death came this time under circumstances peculiarly sad. We can only commend the husband, who will miss the kind words of a loving companion, the two sons just entering young manhood, the little daughter, who will so much miss the tender care of a mother, to our Heavenly Father who alone can comfort and heal. Our hearts go out in sympathy to the only sister in a distant home.

Mrs. Conner united with the Presbyterian church in early girlhood, and has always been an earnest, devoted Christian, faithful to her church whenever health would permit. As a friend and neighbor, she was thoughtful and kind and lived for the happiness of those around her. The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon in the Presbyterian church conducted by Rev. Doole. The number of beautiful floral tributes and the many eyes dimmed with tears told of the esteem with which she was held. The Knights and Ladies of Security of which she was a member attended in a body. The remains were laid to rest in the Horton cemetery.—Horton (Kansas) *Headlight.*

The deceased was a daughter of Calendar Potter, deceased, and was a native of Bloomsburg, where her life was spent until her marriage.

### Married.

ROSENTRETER — HENDRICKS.—At Danville, Pa., May 5th, 1900, by Rev. J. D. Thomas, Ph. D., of Bloomsburg, Mr. Frank Rosentreter, of Rochester, N. Y., to Miss Nellie M. Hendricks, of Mahoning township, Montour county, Pa.

## TOWN COUNCIL.

Thursday Evening's Meeting a Lengthy One.

**An Unusually Large Number of Complaints Against Various Streets.**

The regular May meeting of the Bloomsburg Town Council was held Thursday evening last. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

An electric light wire having been removed by the linemen of the Montour and Columbia Telephone Company from its former position, and now coming in contact with his dwelling was complained of by Wm Rabb. Moved and seconded that said company be notified to put the wire in its former position.

G. S. Robbins complained of the bad condition of Main Street in front of his residence on Normal Hill. Referred to Committee on Highways.

J. H. Maize. C. B. Lutz and C. W. McKelvy, Jr., on motion duly seconded were granted the privilege of renewing policies for insurance on Town Hall for the coming year at former rates. Paul E. Wirt appeared in behalf of a number of residents on East First Street and asked Council to repair said street from Iron to top of hill. Referred to Street Committee.

The matter of repairing West street which was brought before old Council last year and placed in hands of Street Committee with power to act, but neglected same was again brought up. Referred to Street Committee.

Friendship Fire Co. appealed to Council for 50 feet of small hose to be used in filling engine, scrubbing hall, pavement, etc. Referred to committee on Fire and water.

Mr. Smith moved that a fire alarm box be placed at the electric light plant and in case of fire at night they to sound a general alarm with whistle, also that chief of fire Department adopt a code of signals so that one company will not have to attend a fire if another company has same under control. Referred to committee on Fire and Water, they to investigate and report at next meeting.

W. H. Magill, Esq., appeared in behalf of the residents on the extension of East Third Street and asked that said street be accepted from Land Improvement Co., and be repaired as far as residences extend. Street is now in bad condition and in many places almost impassable. Referred to Street Committee with power to act. Watchmen or gates were asked for at Catharine, Iron and Market street crossings on the D. L. & W. R. R. Referred to town solicitor.

The Street Committee was notified to look after the watchman at East street crossing on D. L. & W. R. R. who it is reported is neglecting his duty.

A large drain on East First street was reported closed and doing damage to the Kellar property on said street by filling cellar with water after each hard rain, &c. Referred to street committee.

H. V. White has considerable limestone dirt free of charge if taken away. Referred to Street Committee with power to act.

Michael Ohl entered complaint about Sterner alley at Catharine street Would like culvert bridged. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Dieffenbach moved that inasmuch as the Columbia-Montour Telephone Co. was not living up to their several agreements, that each pole, except those occupied by the fire alarm wire, be taxed a certain amount each year. Referred to solicitor.

It was decided that hereafter all persons arrested for unbecoming conduct, or ordinance violating of any sort, who, after having been given a hearing, are without sufficient funds to pay the fine imposed, shall be compelled to work on the streets until the fine is liquidated.

Building permits were granted to L. N. Moyer, for addition to property on West Main street, and to the Good Will Fire Co., for hose house on Leonard street.

A communication, from E. L. Buck, saying that Harry Hendershott refused to lay pavement in front of his property on West Third street, was read.

On motion, duly seconded, Street Commissioner was notified to inform

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## THE CIVIC CLUB.

Its Aim and Object to Promote a Better Social Order.

**And Increase the Public Interest in Matters Relating to Good Citizenship, &c.**

The object of the first meeting to organize a Woman's Civic Club of Bloomsburg was for the purpose of increasing the public interest in all matters relating to good citizenship, and to promote a better social order.

Women can do a work that men cannot or will not do.

How Women's Clubs can revolutionize a town has been proven over and over again in the State of Pennsylvania and in other states, and let not Bloomsburg be far behind, let our town follow the good example.

We do not expect every woman to do all the work. It is desired that the Club be divided into five departments: 1st Municipal, 2nd Education, 3rd Town Improvement, 4th Library, 5th Charities. Each member shall select the department or departments to which she shall belong.

Each department will have its own chairman and its own stated meetings and be subdivided into committees.

In the Municipal Department there would be committees on Sanitation; Town events and information; Police Matron, through whom many hope to eventually accomplish a Curfew law which will prevent the presence on the streets at a late hour of night of young boys and girls who should be sately housed under the home roof. Street cleaning and the use of Waste Receptacles at the street corners; in this particular many women's clubs have so educated the public school children that they seldom pass waste paper or anything of the kind without picking it up and depositing it in the Receptacle at the nearest street corner. On Almshouse and Jail—How many of us know to what use our poor taxes are put, and how our old and helpless paupers are fed and clothed and lodged? And our jail! Would it not be well to see that some poor, misguided boy, convicted of some petty offense, should have some human interest shown him, and not be left entirely to the companionship of older and hardened criminals, who, in turn may be brought to develop the one spark divine which burns in every human soul.

Then, in the Department of Education, beside other committees, there is the league of good citizenship, which has accomplished a fine work in some towns. The public school children should be made to feel that they all *own* Bloomsburg, and should help take care of it; that in every public spot they have an equal interest with any town official or the most prominent citizen.

Almost treading on the heels of this department will be that of Town Improvement, which will include committees on tree and flower planting, and on beautifying the play grounds and our parks and squares. Through this department perhaps Oak Grove may be the thing of beauty which nature made it, and not a dumping place for egg shells and other still more unsavory remains of various picnic lunches.

The fourth department will be one very dear to the hearts of many, that of a public library. The members of this department will devise methods for raising money, by entertainments and in other ways, toward establishing that much needed institution in Bloomsburg.

It is to be regretted that every woman here could not have heard the address given here a short time ago by Mrs. Campbell, the president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, during which she related the experiences of her own club in getting up a public library in her own town. How, beginning with very little money, and one hundred books, in a little room the size of a hall bedroom, they now have a beautiful building, with several thousand volumes. All this through the efforts of the women, who gave dramatic entertainments, musical entertainments, suppers, fairs and the like.

The fifth department, that of Charities, is a most important one, and

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## THE SYNOD.

It Concluded Its Work Last Saturday.

**Episcopal Diocese Of Central Pennsylvania Divided.**

The business of the Susquehanna Synod, which was in session from May 8 to 14, in St Matthew's Lutheran church, was all finished on Saturday afternoon, and the preparatory service for the synodical communion was held.

In the evening, at 7:30, the annual sermon on "Benevolence" was preached by Rev. J. Wagner, D. D., of Hazleton

On Sunday morning, at 9 o'clock, short addresses were delivered to the Sunday school by Revs. F. U. Gift, L. H. Wahring and W. F. Steck. At 10:30 Rev. J. M. Reimensnyder, D. D., of Milton, preached an excellent sermon, and at 3.00 Rev. R. G. Bauman gave a short talk. The holy communion was then administered to the Synod by the president, Rev. U. Myers, and the secretary, Rev. A. O. Muller.

At 6:30 the Christian Endeavor was addressed by Revs C. R. Botsford, J. H. McGann, and M. W. Havice, and at 7:30 an excellent sermon was preached by Rev. J. M. Anspach, D. D., of Williamsport, after which two young men, lately graduated from Theological Seminary, were ordained to the ministry.

The Synod was then adjourned by the president, after thanking the people for the kind hospitality shown them during their stay in Bloomsburg.

The Synod will convene in May, 1901, in St. Paul's church, Williamsport,

### DIOCESE DIVIDED.

At the annual convention of the P. E. Church of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, held at Scranton yesterday, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the convention adopt the first line of division as reported by the committee on the lines of division, except that Northumberland county be undivided and in the northern diocese, and that the consent of general convention thereto be requested. Provided, there shall be raised and secured in territory of each of the proposed dioceses such sums as with the proportions of the present fund apportionable thereto will make $50,000 as an endowment for the support of the episcopate in each of said dioceses.

If this resolution should be carried out the northern diocese will be composed of the counties of Potter, Clinton, Centre, Union, Lycoming, Tioga, Bradford, Sullivan, Northumberland, Montour, Columbia, Luzerne, Monroe, Pike, Wayne, Lackawanna, Susquehanna and Wyoming. It would contain a population of 838,559, leaving the other or southern diocese to be composed of the remaining counties of the present diocese, which would contain a population of 1,307,521.

### DEATH OF FRANK E. TUBBS.

The many friends of Frank E. Tubbs were shocked Wednesday morning to hear of his death, which occurred at his home in Shenandoah Tuesday evening, after an illness of only one week. He was the very picture of health—strong and robust—and one would think that sickness, especially the kind with which he was afflicted, could not get hold upon him. Appearances count for little, however. He was taken with an attack of grippe, which subsequently developed into pneumonia, and at the above stated time, just as the sable hand of evening was streaking with shadows the face of the passing day, his earthly career came to its close.

Mr. Tubbs, about two months ago, after a residence of several years in this town, during a part of which time he occupied Mrs. Finney's house, on East Third street, moved to Shenandoah, where he was engaged as secretary of a large fertilizer company.

He was a son of Edward Tubbs, of Luzerne county, and was thirty-eight years of age. His wife and one child, a daughter, survive him Mrs. Theodore Garrison, of this town, Mrs. J. E. White, of Lightstreet, and Mrs. W. W. Hartman, of Freeland, are sisters.

Mr. Tubbs was held in the highest esteem by everyone who knew him.

The remains will be brought to Bloomsburg and taken to the home of Theo. Garrison. The funeral will take place from the M. E. Church to-morrow (Friday) at 10 o'clock a. m. The order of Knights of the Golden Eagle, of which the deceased was a member, will attend in a body.




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# LIGHT ON FRAUDS.

## Postmaster at Havana Admits Taking Money.

### Says He Gave His Memorandum In Lieu Thereof.

### Congress Demands an Investigation of the Administration of the Postal Director.

HAVANA, May 16.—Postmaster E. P. Thompson of the Havana local office has signed a sworn statement in which he says that September last, being in need of money, he took from the money order funds $435, giving his memorandum as a receipt for the same. When the inspections were held, Mr. Thompson ordered a clerk in charge of the money order department to place remittances received that day, which would not have to be accounted for until the following day, sufficient to cover the amount of his receipt, which was then withdrawn until after the inspection. This was kept up until April, when the special agents unexpectedly discovered the receipt, which Mr. Thompson then paid.

He also admits that Charles F. W. Neely, late financial agent of posts at Havana, indorsed a bill for $350, which



POSTAL DIRECTOR RATHBONE.

Thompson discounted at the North American Trust. Thompson admits other irregularities in connection with his department.

The opinion among business men is that Thompson's suspension is more than justified, for even though he did not intend to be dishonest his using government funds was culpable, while his covering over the shortage for the inspectors was criminal.

GENERAL WOOD'S VIEWS.

Governor General Wood, referring to the postal service of Cuba, says:

"Speaking generally, the postal service of the island of Cuba is in a high state of efficiency. The money order branch is especially useful, but all the branches have made good records. The service as a whole should not be blamed for the faults of a handful of rascals."

Mr. E. P. Thompson, the Havana postmaster, who has been suspended pending inquiry into the methods of the local office, is in the city, accompanied by a special agent, in whose charge Mr. Thompson has been placed.

It is not asserted that Mr. Thompson has been guilty of fraud, but merely that the accounts of his office show a shortage of several thousands, which calls for an explanation. This is not yet forthcoming. He had a long talk with General Wood, the nature of which has not been made public beyond the fact that Mr. Thompson offered to assist in bringing all the guilty parties to justice.

The rumor circulated yesterday that the postmaster at Baracoa had been or would be arrested proves upon investigation to have been false. He is looked upon merely as a tool of Neely and as having acted innocently as the business agent of Neely at Baracoa, where he is in charge of Neely's coffee and cocoanut plantation. A special agent will arrive at Baracoa today with orders to institute a thorough investigation. He will also place a lien upon all of Neely's property.

The Lucha, the Cubano and The Post are the only papers that say much regarding the postal frauds. The Post blames Mr. Rathbone for carelessness. The Lucha takes his part. The Cubano bitterly assails him for "his extravagant regime." The other journals scarcely allude to the matter editorially, merely giving an item or so each day and sometimes not doing even that.

General Wood does not desire as yet to make further arrests because of the necessity as the law stands to have a preliminary trial within 48 hours after an arrest.

INQUIRY DEMANDED.

**Postal Authorities Asked For Information as to Rathbone's Doings.**

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Representative Hay of Virginia today introduced in the house the following resolution:

"Whereas, It is stated that E. G. Rathbone, director of posts in Cuba, made a report to the postmaster general on April 23, 1900, in which he stated that the postal accounts of postal officials in Cuba were correct, and

"Whereas, It is stated in the public prints that the postal inspectors of the Cuban postal service had not made any inspection or reports of that date,

"Resolved, By the house of representatives, that the postmaster general be requested to inform the house whether E. G. Rathbone did on April 23, 1900, or thereabout, make such a report, and what said report contained, and to further inform the house whether such report purported to be based upon reports made to said E. G. Rathbone by postal inspectors in Cuba and whether the postmaster general has any information as to whether said postal inspectors in Cuba ever made such reports to said E. G. Rathbone."

## PUBLIC OPINION.

**Opinions From Various Sources on Questions of the Day.**

The attempt to make three-quarter citizens out of the Porto Ricans is certainly original.—Ex-Speaker Reed.

General Wheeler's estimate that only one-sixth of 1 per cent of the population of the Philippines has been fighting us is dreadfully unkind, unless it is humiliatingly true.—Chicago News.

Teddy Roosevelt does not want the vice presidency. Of course not. But then Teddy Roosevelt was never yet caught running away from an office—unless there was another office in sight.—St. Louis Republic.

In this matter of recognizing polygamy President McKinley is for once consistent. He has given his official sanction to this practice in Sulu and is equally liberal with regard to it in Utah.—Chicago Democrat.

Has none of the Republican managers in Kentucky any knowledge of the mysterious Brutus who came out of the mountains to assassinate Goebel? Or are they all 'honorable men?'—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Porto Rico under the American flag will enjoy the same privileges and the same immunities as the citizens of the United States and territories of the Union.—From General Miles' proclamation on invading the island.

I believe that the Porto Rican tariff bill is clearly unconstitutional and violates all our agreements with and pledges to the Porto Ricans. If I were in the senate I should certainly vote against it.—Ex-Senator Edmunds.

Hon. William McKinley in the Philippines and the Marquis of Salisbury in South Africa are the twin evangels of Anglo-Saxon civilization, and civilization of that type is not concerned with past pledges. It is out for the stuff.—Chicago Chronicle.

Senator Hanna, the keeper of the president's conscience and interprete of the oracles (duty, destiny and the various trusts), also favored the house bill, and especially the tariff provisions. He said that "from a party point of view the tariff ought to remain."—Baltimore Sun.

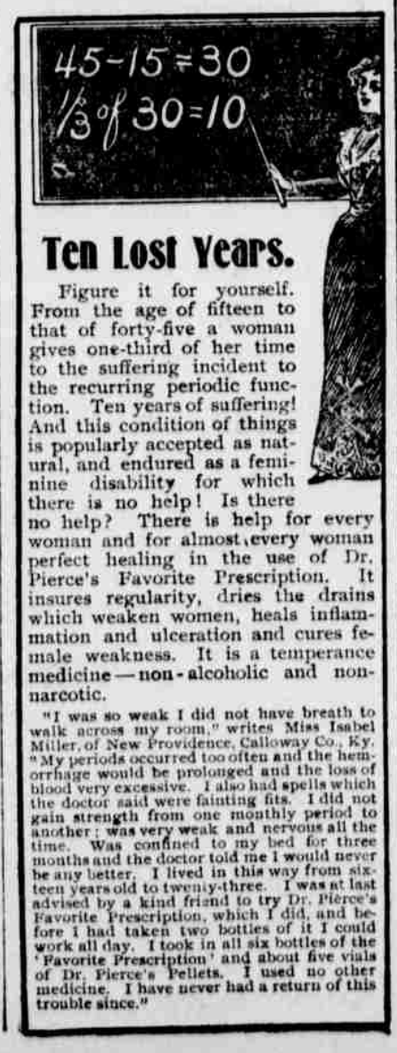
Presidently McKinley ought to give more attention to the Porto Rican papers. They are telling the truth in a frank, manly way, and are making Americans who are not "in politics" and not dependent upon campaign contributions blush with shame at the injustice of which Porto Ricans are the victims.—Baltimore Sun.

McKinley, Foraker and all the rest of the imperialists are agreed as to one thing. And that is that the people of our new acquisitions have no rights under the constitution of the United States; that the only rights they have are those which congress in its sovereign pleasure may be pleased to grant.—Chicago Chronicle.

The people of Iowa are unalterably opposed to the establishment of any tariff between the United States and any territory acquired as a result of the Spanish-American war the people of which accepted the sovereignty of this government without resistance and voluntarily passed under the jurisdiction of its legislation and laws.—Iowa House of Reps. (unanimously).

To borrow a Bible quotation, "A house divided against itself cannot stand." Paraphrasing Lincoln's declaration, I may add that this nation cannot endure half republic and half colony—half free and half vassal. Our form of government, our traditions, our present interests and our future welfare all forbid our entering upon a career of contest.—W. J. Bryan.

"Our plain duty," said President McKinley, "is to abolish all customs tariffs between the United States and Porto Rico, and give her products free access to our markets." It is not Republicanism to defend the denial of plain justice. Neither is it good morals. Nor good policy. It can be defended least of all by American expansionists. It is rank imperialism.—Philadelphia North American (Rep.).


**Ten Lost Years.**

Figure it for yourself. From the age of fifteen to that of forty-five a woman gives one-third of her time to the suffering incident to the recurring periodic function. Ten years of suffering! And this condition of things is popularly accepted as natural, and endured as a feminine disability for which there is no help! Is there no help? There is help for every woman and for almost every woman perfect healing in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It insures regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It is a temperance medicine—non-alcoholic and non-narcotic.

"I was so weak I did not have breath to walk across my room," writes Miss Isabel Miller, of New Providence, Calloway Co., Ky. "My periods occurred too often and the hemorrhage would be prolonged and the loss of blood very excessive. I also had spells which the doctor said were fainting fits. I did not gain strength from one monthly period to another; was very weak and nervous all the time. Was confined to my bed for three months and the doctor told me I would never be any better. I lived in this way from sixteen years old to twenty-three. I was at last advised by a kind friend to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which I did, and before I had taken two bottles of it I could work all day. I took in all six bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and about five vials of Dr. Pierce's Pellets. I used no other medicine. I have never had a return of this trouble since."


The secretary of war acknowledges 29 suicides among soldiers in the Philippines in a period of less than one year, and it is the judgment of careful observers that this has been nearly doubled, if the full truth were known. Many deaths reported as accidental gunshots or drownings were in reality suicides. The fact is such a life, whether in the regular army at home or in the Philippines, has a depressing demoralizing effect. Separated from the influences of home, mother, sisters, friends, men grow coarse, brutal, reckless; life becomes unbearable to the better grade, and thus a larger proportion of officers than privates commit suicide. War is horrible, army influences degrading and too much cannot be said in its condemnation. The leaders of the two great Christian nations have an awful record of crime to answer for. And these are but few of the attendant curses of militarism.—People's Advocate (Meadville).

The Republican state convention in Ohio, notwithstanding Mark Hanna was manager, gagged at the Porto Rican dose, and refused to indorse it in words and repudiated it by implication. It declared in its platform that congress has full power over the territories of the United States, but—mark you—"in harmony with and subject to the fundamental safeguards of our free institutions, for liberty, justice and personal rights." What are the "fundamental safeguards" but those of the constitution of the United States? Therefore the constitution applies to the territories, which is the very thing the Republicans in congress and the administration have asserted the constitution does not do. Of course all this is a juggle with words; but it is significant that in the president's own state McKinley imperialism has to be hedged and sugar coated with phrases that virtually repudiate it. Evidently there is alarm and aprehension in Ohio.—Pittsburg Post.


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Some fellows would do anything to get married, but most of them prefer to do a father-in-law.

**The Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa.**

**Commencement Week, June 10-13, 1900.**

SUNDAY, JUNE 10.

10 30 a. m.—Baccalaureate Sermon, by the Rev. Lawrence M. Colfelt, D. D., of Philadelphia.

MONDAY, JUNE 11.

3.30 p. m.—Annual Inter-Class Athletic Contest.

8.00 p. m.—Junior Oratorical Contest.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12.

8.30 a. m.—Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association.

10.00 a. m.—Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees.

12.00 a. m.—Alumni Dinner (in the Armory)

2.30 p. m.—Meeting (in Room No. 121) of Delegates and Alumni to elect Trustees.

8.00 p. m.—Presentation of "She Stoops to Conquer," by "The Thespians."

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13.

10.00 a. m.—Graduation Exercises of the Class of 1900.

Commencement Address, by Bishop John H. Vincent, D. D., Topeka, Kansas.

NOTE.—An examination of candidates for admission will be held at the College, Thursday, June 14th, at 9 o'clock a. m. A second examination will be held Tuesday, September 11th, beginning at the same hour.

Orders for tickets over the Pennsylvania Railroad and branches to Lemont, or to the College (via Bellefonte) and over the Reading and Beech Creek roads, to Bellefonte, good from June 8th to 21st, both inclusive, may be obtained from John I. Thompson, Jr., State College, Pa.


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### Get Ready to Answer Questions.

**For the Census Enumerator Will Begin Work June 1.**

The census enumerators will begin work on Friday, June 1, and are supposed to have it completed in two weeks from that date, so that in order to facilitate it a little we herewith present the questions the enumerators will ask. Some of them are extremely delicate, but they will all have to be answered and the batchelor girls might just as well begin at once to steel themselves for the ordeal.

These are the census questions which you will be called upon to answer this year:

Surname, Christian name and initial

Residence, street and number of house.

Relationship of each member to the head of family.

Color of race.

Sex.

Age at last birthday.

Day, month and year when born.

Are yov single, married, widow, widower or divorced?

Number of years married.

How many children.

Number of children living.

Sex of children.

Where were you born. If in the United States give state or territory; if of foreign birth give country only.

Where was your father born. Your mother. Same conditions as the foregoing.

If of foreign birth, when did you come to the United States.

How many years have you resided in the United States.

Have you been naturalized. How many years since you became a citizen.

What is your occupation, trade or profession. (This question applies to persons 10 years of age and over.)

How many months during the year are you employed.

How many months have you attended school.

Can you read.

Can you write.

Give the main facts concerning your education.

Do you own the house in which you live.

Do you rent the house in which you live.

If you own the house, is it free or mortgaged. (The same questions apply to farmers.

### REDUCED RATES TO WILKES-BARRE

**Account Knights Templar of Pennsylvania.**

For parade Day (May 22) of the Knights Templar of Pennsylvania Forty-seventh Annual Conclave, at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., May 21 to 23, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell round-trip tickets to Wilkes-Barre and return May 21 and 22, limited to return until May 23, inclusive, at rate of one limited first-class fare for the round trip (minimum of twenty-five cents). Tickets will not be good for passage on New York and Chicago Limited Express, and are good for continuous passage only in each direction.

### Reduced Rates to Camden, Ind., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For meeting of Old Order of German Baptist Brethren, at Camden, Ind., June 3 to 5, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell, from May 31 to June 3, inclusive, excursion tickets to Camden, Ind., from stations on its line west of Baltimore, Md. (not inclusive), west of and including Lancaster and Reading, and from stations south of and including Sunbury, at rate of one first-class limited fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning until July 5, inclusive. 2t17

### Reduced Rates to North Manchester, Ind., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For meeting of German Baptist Brethren, at North Manchester, Ind., May 29 to June 8, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will place special excursion tickets on sale May 29 to June 3, 1900, from stations west of Baltimore (not inclusive), and Lancaster and Reading (inclusive), and south of and including Sunbury, at rate of one first class limited fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning until July 1, inclusive. 2t17

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office May 29, 1900. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised May 17, 1900":

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## THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY. RETAIL PRICES

| | |
|---|---|
| Butter per lb | $ .22 |
| Eggs per dozen | .12 |
| Lard per lb | .11 |
| Ham per pound | .14 |
| Pork, whole, per pound | .06 |
| Beef, quarter, per pound | .07 |
| Wheat per bushel | .90 |
| Oats " " | .40 |
| Rye " " | 50 |
| Wheat flour per bbl | 3.50 to 4.00 |
| Hay per ton | $12.00 |
| Potatoes per bushel | .45 |
| Turnips " " | .25 |
| Onions " " | .80 |
| Sweet potatoes per peck | .40 |
| Tallow per lb | .05 |
| Shoulder " " | .11 |
| Side meat " " | .09 |
| Vinegar, per qt | .05 |
| Dried apples per lb | .05 |
| Dried cherries, pitted | .12 |
| Raspberries | .12 |
| Cow Hides per lb | .3½ |
| Steer " " " | .05 |
| Calf Skin | .80 |
| Sheep pelts | .75 |
| Shelled corn per bus | .50 |
| Corn meal, cwt | 1.50 |
| Bran, " | 1.00 |
| Chop " | 1.00 |
| Middlings " | 1.00 |
| Chickens per lb new | .12 |
| " " " old | .11 |
| Turkeys " " | .12½ |
| Geese " " | .14 |
| Ducks " " | .08 |

COAL.

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| No. 6, delivered | 2.60 |
| " 4 and 5 " | 3.85 |
| " 6 at yard | 2.35 |
| " 4 and 5 at yard | 3.60 |


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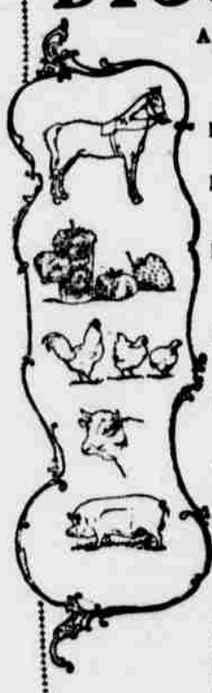
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# WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, May 14, 1900.

Peculation has been added to the extravagant mismanagement of Cuban affairs for which the McKinley administration is responsible. The War Department and the Post Office Department are each trying to throw responsibility upon the other for the shameful condition of affairs in Cuba, which have been only partially uncovered to public view through the discovery made by Col. Burton, an army officer who has been on duty in Cuba, that C. W. F. Neeley, a prominent republican politician of Indiana, who is financial agent of the Cuban postal system, had embezzled many thousands of dollars. Col. Burton has just reached Washington from Havana under orders to tell Secretary Root the full extent of his discovery and to keep his mouth shut to everybody else. Rumor says that other American officials have been getting rich through handling Cuban funds, but no official information can be obtained in Washington. In fact, no one need be surprised to see Neeley escape punishment, although he is now under arrest, and get a thick coat of whitewash, as the easiest way out of the dirty scandal for the administration. The profound ignorance expressed by officials of the War and Post Office Departments is of itself suspicious. It implies an intention to deceive, for everybody knows that both of those demartments must have been in possession of all the facts before Neeley was arrested, in New York.

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The House overruled the majority of the Ways and Means Committee and adopted a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information concerning the amount and character of materials used by manufacturers of oleomargarine. The majority of the Ways and Means committee contended that the information asked for would violate law by betraying trade secrets, but the House thought otherwise and adopted the resolution.

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Boss Hanna had the nerve to inform Senators that the administration opposition to the Nicaragua Canal bill would be withdrawn and the bill allowed to pass the Senate at this session if the Senate would ratify the lop-sided Hay-Pauncefote treaty. His proposition was not seriously considered. The friends of the canal bill know that if it fails to pass the people will know that the responsibility for the failure will rest upon the shoulders of Mr. McKinley. As Senator Morgan put it, "We will pass the Canal bill at this session or we will defeat Mr. McKinley at the polls." That is the situation in a nutshell. The people want this bill passed. That was made evident enough by the overwhelming majority by which it passed the House. Individual Senators numerous enough to make as great a proportionate majority in the Senate are on record in favor of the Bill. If, in the face of these things, Mr. McKinley is willing to allow his obligations to the British government to cause him to use his influence to prevent action on the bill at this session of Congress he can do so, but he will have to face the music of a disappointed and enraged people and the penalty of losing many thousand votes. The democratic party can stand it if he can.

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How confident the democrats are of electing a majority of the next House, in November, may be judged from the fact that the friends of several democratic candidates for speaker are beginning to work for them. Among those who already have more or less backing are Representatives Richardson, of Tenn.; De Armond, of Mo.; Bankhead, of Ala., and Sulzer, of New York.

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Gov. Teddy Roosevelt is—in his own estimation, the biggest thing in Washington and the most showy flower in the republican boquet. He has been strutting around the Capitol and the White House as though he owned the whole shooting match, and patronizingly giving advice to Mr. McKinley, Boss Hanna and others who thought they knew a little something about the party machine. For some reason the republican leaders are all adding to the size of Gov. Teddy's head by the deferential manner in which they are treating him. Mr. McKinley gave a dinner in his honor, and he was invited to a dinner given to the republican leaders in Congress by Boss Hanna, at which the platform to be adopted by the Philadelphia convention was read by Hanna and Roosevelt's advice asked as to its planks. If you ask what all this means you ask the question which has been asked thousands of times in Washington, this week, and not yet satisfactorily answered. One very reasonable answer is that the republican managers have become alarmed about New York, and are seeking to add to the prestige of Gov. Teddy in order to help him towards re election, which they regard as helping McKinley in the State. Whatever their object, they are making Gov. Teddy believe that he is the whole thing, which, by way is not difficult to do.

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## Hummel Breaking Down.

### The Lycoming County Murderer is a Physical Wreck.

William Hummel, the quadruple murderer, is a physical wreck, and may have to be carried to the scaffold when he is hung next month. He told the death watch a day or two ago that he had the nerve to ascend the scaffold but was afraid he would not be physically able when the time came. Hummel's eyes are wan and sunken; His hair has witened perceptibly, and he is weaker and takes less interest in his surroundings. He resents the curiosity of the public, seeming to think that there will be great rejoicing over his demise and a large crowd present. He denies, however, that he is worrying over his approaching death. He calls for a dozen different dishes in a day, but when they are brought he eats hardly anything. He has all the arrangements made for his funeral.

## Fire Wardens Must Act.

Chief Clerk Conklin, of the State Forestry Commission, says the unusual number of forest fires raging throughout Pennsylvania this spring is the result of the general lack of the customary spring rains, and the consequent dryness of the undergrowth of the forests. The growth of leaves on the trees has been very backward and the conditions have been favorable to a spread of the forest fires. There are no steps that can be taken by the Forestry Commission in the direction of fighting the fires, except through the fire wardens of the various townships and the County Commissioners, who are vested under the law with the responsibility of preventing the spread of the destructive flames.

## Reduced Rates to Washington via Pennsylvania Railroad.

### Account Imperial Council, Order of Mystic Shrine.

For the Imperial Council, Order of the Mystic Shrine, at Washington, D. C., May 22-24, the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell tickets to the general public, from all stations on its line, to Washington and return, at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going May 19-21, returning to May 28, inclusive. 10 2t

## Must Return Other People's Mail.

Be careful to return to the post-office mail matter not belonging to you that you may receive through mistakes. A new postal rule that recently went into effect is, that persons, who through carelessness or from any other reason take mail from the office that belongs to another, and who fail to return the same, are liable to a fine of $600 or one year's imprisonment. This applies to newspapers thus taken from a postoffice as well as other matter.

## Important Legal Decision.

In Juniata conty court last week, a case of the owner of a farm against her tennant was on trial. The prosecutrix depended on the written lease, signed by the tenant, to prove her case. The point was raised by the defendant's attorney that the lease not being stamped accerding to the act of Congress, it was not a legal lease and therefore should not be admitted in evidence. The court sustained the objection and the prosecutrix lost her case.

## To Save Her Boy.

Love for her boy was the cause of the fatal burning of Mrs. Robert Sherer, in the village of Oregon Hill, Lycoming county, last week. Forest fires threatened their home and while battling for their safety the mother and son became surrounded by the flames. With only one thought, the saving of her offspring, the mother took him through the flames, but in doing so her clothes caught fire and she was fatally burned before succor could be given her.

## Nervous Children.

Intelligent people are beginning to understand the importance of protecting the nervous system in infancy and the danger of a shock to childish nerves. As a rule the more quiet a baby is kept during the first year of its life the better chance it has for a life of health and happiness. The fact that so large a proportion of the human family die in infancy is due largely to the folly of nurses and the ignorance of mothers. Overbright babies do not commend themselves to physicians, who know that a first year of a child's life should be spent largely in sleep. All efforts to arouse the dormant mind of a child at this period are attended with danger. The foolish practice of tossing a helpless baby in the air, while it screams both with a fright and delight, is a most dangerous one.

## Last Chance.

The last chance to get the *Farm Journal* for nearly five years is nearly ended. We have only six more left under the present contract. These will go to the first six people who comply with the terms, namely, old subscribers who pay all arrearages to date, and a year in advance from now; and new subscribers who pay a year in advance. If you want it, don't wait another day. tf

## "Hello" Girls Being Replaced By Men.

Owing to continued complaint of the public in the west, of the poor telephone service, the experiment of replacing the girls by men has begun. It is said that all beseeching and disciplinary measures have been powerless to prevent the girls from chatting among themselves instead of devoting their sole attention, as they are paid for doing, to connecting subscribers. Men are expected to be more attentive.

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An exchange says a very pretty young lady, perfectly dressed, struck Deposit the other day. She bought ten cents worth of bar soap and a little blue tissue paper, cut the soap into little pieces, tied a little ribbon about the cakes, and sold them at twenty-five cents each for "grease eradicator." She made $25 in a day and left for fresh pastures.

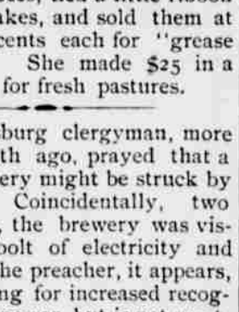
A Stroudsburg clergyman, more than a month ago, prayed that a certain brewery might be struck by lightning. Coincidentally, two weeks later, the brewery was visited by a bolt of electricity and damaged. The preacher, it appears, is now looking for increased recognition of his power, but is not meeting with much successs. The Chester *Republican* says that it is presumptuous for him to claim that Providence would hurl his thunderbolts at the behest of man.

June 14th will be flag day, the one hundred and twenty-third anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes by the Continental Congress.

## THE HEALTH OF YOUNG WOMEN

### Two of Them Helped by Mrs. Pinkham —Read their Letters.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I am sixteen years old and am troubled with my monthly sickness. It is very irregular, occurring only once in two or three months, and also very painful. I also suffer with cramps and once in a while pain strikes me in the heart and I have drowsy headaches. If there is anything you can do for me, I will gladly follow your advice." —MISS MARY GOMES, Aptos, Cal., July 31, 1898.



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—After receiving your letter I began the use of your remedies, taking both Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier. I am now regular every month and suffer no pain. Your medicine is the best that any suffering girl can take."—MISS MARY GOMES, Aptos, Cal., July 6, 1899.

### Nervous and Dizzy

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to express my thanks to you for the great benefit I have received from the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered constantly from terrible sideache, had chills, was nervous and dizzy. I had tried different kinds of medicine but they all failed entirely. After taking three bottles of Vegetable Compound and three of Blood Purifier I am all right. I cannot thank you enough for what your remedies have done for me."—MISS MATILDA JENSEN, Box 18, Ogdensburg, Wis., June 10, 1899.

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### LACKAWANNA RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

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| STATIONS. | EAST. A.M. | P.M. | A.M. | P.M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| NORTHUMBERLAND | 10 25 | 1.50 | 10 00 | 5 50 |
| Cameron | 6 38 | 2 42 | ..... | 6 02 |
| Chulasky | .... | ..... | ..... | fo 07 |
| Danville | 6 49 | 2 12 | 10 19 | 6 11 |
| Catawissa | 7 03 | 2 26 | 10 34 | 6 23 |
| Rupert | 7 08 | 2 31 | 10 37 | 6 27 |
| Bloomsburg | 7 15 | 2 36 | 10 43 | 6 32 |
| Espy | 7 23 | 2 42 | 10 48 | 6 37 |
| Lime Ridge | 7 30 | 2 48 | ..... | 6 42 |
| Briarcreek | 7 38 | 2 55 | ... | 16 48 |
| Berwick | 7 45 | 3 01 | 11 05 | 6 55 |
| Beach Haven | 7 53 | 3 07 | .... | 7 01 |
| Hick's Ferry | 8 04 | 3 13 | ... | 7 05 |
| Shickshinny | 8 15 | 3 24 | 11 29 | 7 16 |
| Huntock's | 8 27 | 3 34 | ..... | 7 28 |
| Nanticoke | 8 35 | 3 42 | 11 45 | 7 36 |
| Avondale | 8 40 | 3 46 | ..... | ..... |
| Plymouth | 8 45 | 3 51 | 11 51 | 7 45 |
| Plymouth Junction | 8 50 | 3 55 | ..... | ..... |
| Kingston | 8 57 | 4 02 | 11 59 | 7 56 |
| Bennett | 9 00 | 4 06 | ..... | 8 00 |
| Forty Fort | 9 03 | 4 10 | ..... | ..... |
| Wyoming | 9 08 | 4 16 | 12 08 | 8 11 |
| West Pittston | 9 12 | 4 21 | ..... | 8 16 |
| Susquehanna Ave | 9 15 | 4 24 | 12 14 | 8 19 |
| Pittston | 9 19 | 4 29 | 12 17 | 8 24 |
| Duryea | 9 23 | 4 34 | ..... | 8 30 |
| Lackawanna | 9 26 | 4 37 | ..... | 8 33 |
| Taylor | 9 33 | 4 45 | ..... | 8 41 |
| Bellevue | 9 38 | 4 50 | ..... | ..... |
| SCRANTON | 9 42 | 4 55 | 12 35 | 8 50 |

| STATIONS. | WEST. A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| SCRANTON | 6 30 | 10 05 | 1 55 | 6 10 |
| Bellevue | 6 34 | .... | ..... | ..... |
| Taylor | 6 38 | 10 15 | 2 03 | 6 20 |
| Lackawanna | 6 45 | 10 23 | 2 10 | 6 28 |
| Duryea | 6 48 | 10 26 | 2 13 | 6 32 |
| Pittston | 6 52 | 10 31 | 2 17 | 6 36 |
| Susquehanna Ave | 6 55 | 10 35 | 2 20 | 6 40 |
| West Pittston | 6 58 | 10 39 | 2 24 | 6 44 |
| Wyoming | 7 03 | 10 44 | 2 28 | 6 49 |
| Forty Fort | .... | .... | .. | .... |
| Bennett | 7 09 | 10 52 | 2 36 | 7 00 |
| Kingston | 7 15 | 10 56 | 2 42 | 7 06 |
| Plymouth Junction | 7 19 | .... | 2 47 | .... |
| Plymouth | 7 24 | 11 05 | 2 52 | 7 13 |
| Avondale | 7 28 | ..... | 2 57 | ..... |
| Nanticoke | 7 33 | 11 13 | 3 02 | 7 20 |
| Huntock's | 7 39 | 11 19 | 3 10 | 7 28 |
| Shickshinny | 7 50 | 11 30 | 3 24 | 7 40 |
| Hick's Ferry | 8 04 | f11 43 | 3 35 | f7 55 |
| Beach Haven | 8 11 | 11 48 | 3 42 | 8 02 |
| Berwick | 8 16 | 11 54 | 3 49 | 8 08 |
| Briarcreek | 8 22 | .... | f3 55 | 8 15 |
| Lime Ridge | 8 30 | f12 09 | 4 04 | f8 23 |
| Espy | 8 37 | 12 15 | 4 11 | 8 30 |
| Bloomsburg | 8 44 | 12 22 | 4 17 | 8 37 |
| Rupert | 8 50 | 12 27 | 4 23 | 8 43 |
| Catawissa | 9 10 | 12 32 | 4 28 | 8 48 |
| Danville | 8 55 | 12 47 | 4 42 | 9 04 |
| Chulasky | .... | .... | f4 49 | .... |
| Cameron | 9 20 | 12 57 | 4 54 | 9 16 |
| NORTHUMBERLAND | 9 35 | 1 10 | 5 08 | 9 30 |
| | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | P.M. |

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Time Table in effect Nov. 19, '99.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Scranton(D & H) lv | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Pittston " " | 6 45 | 9 58 | 1 21 | 4 27 | |
| | 7 08 | 10 00 | 1 24 | 4 52 | |
| Wilkesbarre..lv | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Plym'th Ferry " | 7 30 | 10 55 | 1 55 | 5 09 | |
| Nanticoke....." | 7 38 | 11 02 | 2 03 | 5 08 | |
| Mocanaqua...." | 7 46 | 11 10 | 2 11 | 6 18 | |
| Wapwallopen." | 8 04 | 11 32 | 2 43 | 6 25 | |
| Nescopeck.....ar | 8 13 | 11 42 | 2 53 | 6 47 | |
| | 8 24 | 11 52 | 3 05 | 7 00 | |
| Pottsville.....lv | A.M. | | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Hazleton ....." | 6 00 | | 12 30 | | |
| Tomhicken....." | 7 08 | | 2 00 | 5 50 | |
| Fern Glen....." | 7 25 | | 2 18 | 6 10 | |
| Rock Glen....." | 7 32 | | 2 27 | 6 17 | |
| Nescopeck.....ar | 7 38 | | 2 34 | 6 2 | |
| | 8 03 | | 3 00 | 6 51 | |
| Nescopeck.....lv | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Creasy......" | 8 24 | 11 52 | 4 05 | 7 01 | |
| Espy Ferry....." | 8 33 | 12 02 | 4 14 | 7 01 | |
| E. Bloomsburg" | 8 43 | 12 10 | 4 22 | 7 30 | |
| | 8 47 | 12 14 | 4 27 | 7 35 | |
| Catawissa.....ar | 8 55 | P.M. 12 21 | 4 34 | 7 32 | |
| Catawissa.....lv | 8 55 | 12 21 | 4 34 | 7 32 | |
| S. Danville....." | 9 14 | 12 38 | 4 53 | 7 51 | |
| Sunbury....." | 9 35 | 1 00 | 5 15 | 8 15 | |
| Sunbury.....lv | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Lewisburg ....ar | 9 42 | 1 10 | 5 45 | 9 25 | |
| Milton.....ar | 10 13 | 1 45 | 6 18 | ..... | |
| Williamsport..." | 10 08 | 1 39 | 6 14 | 9 50 | |
| Lock Haven...." | 11 00 | 2 30 | 7 10 | 10 40 | |
| Renovo....." | 11 59 | 3 40 | 8 07 | ..... | |
| | A.M. | 4 40 | 9 00 | ..... | |
| Kane..... | ..... | 8 25 | ..... | ..... | |
| Lock Haven...lv | P.M. | P.M. | | | |
| Bellefonte.....ar | 12 10 | 13 45 | ..... | ..... | |
| Tyrone..... " | 1 05 | 4 44 | ..... | ..... | |
| Philipsburg.... " | 2 15 | 6 00 | ..... | ..... | |
| Clearfield ..... " | 4 23 | 8 26 | ..... | ..... | |
| Pittsburg ..... " | 5 07 | 9 09 | ..... | ..... | |
| | 6 55 | 11 30 | ..... | ..... | |
| Sunbury.....lv | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Harrisburg....ar | 9 50 | 1 55 | 1 25 | 8 31 | |
| | 11 30 | 3 15 | 6 55 | 10 10 | |
| Philadelphia..ar | P.M. | P.M. | P.M. | A.M. | |
| Baltimore....." | 3 17 | 6 23 | 10 2 | 4 25 | |
| Washington..." | 3 11 | 6 00 | 1 9 4 | 2 30 | |
| | 4 10 | 7 15 | 10 55 | 4 05 | |
| Sunbury .....lv | A.M. | P.M. | | | |
| Lewistown Jc ar | 10 57 | 2 03 | ..... | ..... | |
| Pittsburg....." | P.M. | 3 50 | ..... | ..... | |
| | 6 55 | 11 30 | ..... | ..... | |
| Harrisburg.....lv | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Pittsburg.....ar | 11 45 | 5 45 | 1 20 | 10 20 | |
| | 6 55 | 11 30 | 2 00 | 5 30 | |

‡ Weekdays. Daily. f Flag station

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg.....lv | P.M. | P.M. | A.M. | A.M. | |
| | 7 10 | 8 30 | 2 50 | 8 00 | |
| Harrisburg.....ar | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| | 1 55 | 3 40 | 1 9 | 3 10 | |
| Pittsburg.....lv | ..... | A.M. | P.M. | A.M. | |
| | ..... | ..... | ... | 8 00 | |
| Lewistown Jc." | ..... | 7 30 | 3 45 | P.M. 3 40 | |
| Sunbury.....ar | ..... | 9 20 | 5 03 | 5 30 | |
| Washington....lv | P.M. | A.M. | A.M. | A.M. | |
| Baltimore....." | 10 40 | .... | 7 55 | 10 50 | |
| Philadelphia..." | 11 55 | 4 55 | 8 55 | 12 00 | |
| | 11 20 | 4 30 | 8 40 | 12 45 | |
| Harrisburg.....lv | A.M. | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | |
| Sunbury.....ar | 8 35 | 7 55 | 11 40 | 4 00 | |
| | 5 05 | 9 36 | 1 10 | 5 40 | |
| Pittsburg.....lv | P.M. | | A.M. | A.M. | |
| Clearfield ....." | 12 45 | ..... | 2 50 | 8 00 | |
| Philipsburg.." | 4 09 | ..... | ..... | 9 31 | |
| Tyrone..... " | 4 56 | ..... | ..... | 10 12 | |
| Bellefonte....." | 7 15 | ..... | 8 10 | 12 30 | |
| Lock Haven...ar | 8 31 | ..... | 9 32 | 1 42 | |
| | 9 30 | ..... | 10 30 | 2 43 | |
| Erie.....lv | P.M. | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | |
| Kane..... " | 4 30 | ..... | ..... | ..... | |
| Renovo....." | 7 55 | ... | 1 6 00 | ..... | |
| Lock Haven..." | 11 16 | 6 40 | 10 30 | ..... | |
| | 12 00 | 7 33 | 11 25 | 1 3 00 | |
| Williamsport.." | A.M. | 8 80 | P.M. 12 40 | 4 00 | |
| Milton..... " | 1 05 | 9 19 | 1 27 | 4 52 | |
| Lewisburg..... " | 1 56 | 9 05 | 1 15 | 4 47 | |
| Sunbury... .....ar | ..... | 9 46 | 1 55 | 5 20 | |
| Sunbury.....lv | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| S. Danville....." | 6 55 | 9 55 | 2 00 | †5 48 | |
| Catawissa..... " | 7 18 | 10 17 | 2 21 | 6 09 | |
| E. Bloomsburg" | 7 36 | 10 35 | 2 37 | 6 27 | |
| Espy Ferry....." | 7 42 | 10 43 | 2 43 | 6 32 | |
| Creasy..... " | 7 46 | f10 47 | | f 6 36 | |
| Nescopeck ....ar | 7 56 | 10 56 | 2 55 | 6 46 | |
| | 8 06 | 11 06 | 3 05 | 6 55 | |
| Nescopeck.....lv | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Catawissa..... | 7 38 | f11 55 | 4 10 | † 7 05 | |
| Rock Glen.....ar | 8 26 | 12 21 | 4 36 | 7 31 | |
| Fern Glen..... " | 8 33 | 12 27 | 4 42 | 7 37 | |
| Tomhicken..... " | 8 42 | 12 35 | 4 51 | 7 45 | |
| Hazleton ..... " | 9 02 | 12 55 | 5 10 | 8 05 | |
| Pottsville ..... " | 11 30 | 2 08 | 6 30 | 9 35 | |
| Nescopeck .....lv | A.M. | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. | |
| Wapwallopen.ar | † 8 06 | † 11 06 | † 3 05 | † 6 55 | |
| Mocanaqua....." | 8 18 | 11 20 | 3 16 | 7 09 | |
| Nanticoke ....." | 8 28 | 11 32 | 3 25 | 7 21 | |
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| | 10 08 | 1 18 | 5 20 | 9 05 | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| a m | a.m. | p m | p.m. | | a m | p m | p m | a m |
| 7.10 | 12.05 | 6.25 | 2.15 | Bloomsbu'g. | 8.47 | 2 40 | 6 25 | 6.10 |
| 7.08 | 12.00 | 6.16 | 2.10 | " P. & R. | 8.49 | 2.42 | 6.27 | |
| 7.03 | 11.57 | 6.14 | 2.08 | " Main st., | 8.52 | 2.45 | 6.40 | |
| 6.53 | 11.47 | 6.02 | 1 50 | Paper Mill. | 9.01 | 2.54 | 6 51 | 6.37 |
| 6.50 | 11.43 | 5.59 | 1.45 | Light st., | 9.05 | 2.59 | 5.55 | 6.50 |
| 6.49 | 11.33 | 5.49 | 1.30 | Orangevi'e. | 9.15 | 3.10 | 7.04 | 7.10 |
| 6.29 | 11.2 | 5.38 | 1.00 | Forks ... | 9.23 | 3.20 | 7.14 | 7.35 |
| 6.25 | 17.19 | 5.34 | 12.53 | ...Zaner's... | 9.27 | 3.24 | 7.18 | 7.45 |
| 6.14 | 11.13 | 5.27 | 12.45 | .Stillwater. | 9.33 | 3.30 | 7.23 | 8.00 |
| 6.08 | 11.05 | 5 17 | 12.33 | ...Benton.. | 9.43 | 3.40 | 7.33 | 8.20 |
| 6 04 | 11.00 | 5.13 | 12.10 | ...Edson's... | 9.47 | 3.44 | 7.37 | 8.40 |
| 6.02 | 10 58 | 5.10 | 12.05 | Cole's Cr'k. | 9.50 | 3.47 | 7.41 | 8.46 |
| 5.53 | 10.52 | 5.03 | 11.53 | ..Laubach.. | 9.58 | 3.57 | 7.51 | 9.00 |
| 5-43 | 10.43 | 4.53 | 11.45 | ...Central... | 10.10 | 4.07 | 8.01 | 9.25 |
| c.40 | 10.40 | 4.50 | 11.30 | .Jam. City.. | 10.14 | 4.10 | 8.05 | 9.35 |
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### Christianity and the Flag to Cover Robbery

Senator Hanna in his Saturday night Pittsburg oration declared that "we are paying $200,000,000 per year into the pockets of foreign ship owners." This is an exaggeration; but if it were true, what then? Do not the foreign ship owners render us $200,000,000 worth of service in carrying our farm, mine and manufactured products to foreign buyers more cheaply than we can afford to do it ourselves?

Mr. Hanna would tax the farmers and miners and manufacturers of the country in order to establish a subsidized Shipping Trust, the government making good the losses and insuring comfortable profit on an otherwise losing business. The wily old Buckeye millionaire prates about "the flag" and about "christianizing and civilizing the world," but all the time he is carefully calculating his percentages and how much he can rake in in the name of the flag and christianity and civilization at the expense of the producers of this country.—*Philadelphia Record.*

### Bryan and McKinley.

The Hon. John J. Ingalls has figured out most convincingly to himself how President McKinley cannot fail of re-election and in the course of his figuring says the president is the embodiment of Republican ideas and policies. As a good many of these ideas and policies are promulgated through the president by Mark Hanna it is not surprising that Mr. Ingalls' assertion should be true.

But what is there in them to attract any but the most hide-bound partisan? Can the laboring man who is perhaps wavering between McKinley and Bryan be tempted to the Republican column by the announcement that that party favors the trusts? Can the business man or the farmer or any other man who is struggling under the war tax be lured to vote for McKinley by the knowledge that such a vote will help to perpetuate the imperialistic policy which makes the war tax a necessity?

These very ideas and policies are what will defeat McKinley. Could the people be induced to believe that he would break the bonds which fasten him to the chariot of the trusts his prospects would be enhanced considerably. Were it recognized that the election of McKinley meant the removal of the war tax, the revenues from which promise soon to flood the treasury, thus opening the doors to still greater extravagance, Mr. Bryan might well doubt his ability to win in November.

As it is, all signs point to the Nebraskan as the next occupant of the White House.—*Harrisburg Patriot*

### STRAY PARAGRAPHS.

—It is time to get out the fly screens.

—Corn planting is now on with the farmers.

—The potato bug is looking forward to a gay old time.

—Straw hats have made their appearance on masculine heads.

—It is said that too many cooks spoil the broth. We have seen one cook accomplish the same result.

—Don't forget to have your family record and biography ready for that walking interrogation point, the census enumerator.

—Foolishness is contagious. Two weeks ago a Stroudsburg man wagered that blasting powder could not be ignited with a match. He didn't live to see his money change hands. On Tuesday, another holding the same belief, attempted in the same manner to substantiate his claims. He came back in chunks.

—A Pittsburg woman comes forward and claims that Barbara Freitchie did not wave the stars and stripes on that memorable day when Stonewall Jackson rode through Frederick, Md. As Barbara has been dead for over 37 years, the world will never know what she thinks about this woman, who claims she lived next door to Barbara, and who, probably, had a clothes line row with her every washday.

### Died Away From Home.

The following article is taken from the Hazleton *Sentinel* of May 12. The deceased was a grandson of the late Mrs. Catharine Barton of Espy, and a son of Alfred Barton of Hazleton.

"Frank Barton is dead!" This remark was heard on all sides last evening and expressions of surprise and regret were numerous among his many friends. He died yesterday morning in a Cincinnati hospital, having been admitted to the institution on April 26th to be treated for amoebaecoli, a micro organism disease within the intestines and affecting the liver, but further says that primarily he was suffering with dysentery. The disease prevails to an alarming extent in this country. It has been successfully treated in this country.

Deceased was the eldest son of John A. Barton. He was born in this city March 22d, 1863. He was educated in the city schools, and for many years was employed as clerk in the store of A. Pardee & Co.

About fifteen years ago in company with Morris Dryfoos, he departed for Meeker, Col., where he was on a cattle ranch. He remained there for several years, when he located at Salmon City, Idaho. When the Spanish-American war broke out he enlisted becoming a member of Schupp's Rough Riders, but never reached any further than San Francisco, where the Company was stationed until discharged. Later he went to Cuba where he saw service.

Besides his father and mother, he is survived by four sisters and four brothers, viz: Mrs. P. C. Kauffman, Tacoma, Washington, Mrs. H. O. Mandeville, Misses Mabel and Ruth, and Messrs. Howard, Clifford, Walter and Stanley.

Frank Barton had thousands of friends in Lehigh region and his death will be sincerely mourned by all his acquaintances. His brother Clifford went to Cincinnati to arrange for the bringing of the body East."

The Danville State Hospital for the insane will within a short time be relieved of its present crowded condition. A new hospital has been recently built near the city of Wilkesbarre. To this institution all the patients, several hundred in number, sent to the Danville Hospital from what is known as the central poor district, which comprises the city of Wilkesbarre and the surrounding districts, will be taken.

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Every enrolled member of this Association will receive a copy of the addresses and other proceedings, not only of the State Teachers' Association, but of the City, Borough and Township Superintendents' Convention and of the State Directors' Association, thus getting the very best thought along these different lines in the State.

I appeal to the friends of education in Pennsylvania to enroll in large numbers. There are over 26,000 teachers in the State in the public schools alone, and the number of superintendents, teachers, directors and other friends of education enrolled should not be less than 10,000.

The trip to Williamsport is a pleasant one; it is an ideal place to meet—fine hotels, its citizens noted for their hospitality, elegant drives, and the excursion to Eaglesmere will be a great attraction. The program is excellent; turn out in large numbers and show your interest in the great educational Association of your State.

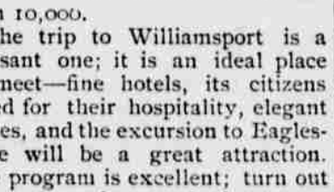
If you find it utterly impossible to attend the meeting send your enrollment fee of $1.00 to Prof. David S. Keck, Treasurer, Kutztown, Pa., who will promptly send you a certificate of membership.

Let me not plead in vain for our dear old Commonwealth to make this meeting a record-breaker.

JOHN A. M. PASSMORE,
President.

F. C. Angle, Esq., and C. P. Hancock, of Danville; N. U. Funk, Esq., and W. S. Moyer, of Bloomsburg, and Henry Lewis, of Williamsport, all of the Montour and Columbia Telephone Co., were here Wednesday inspecting the work on their system as far as completed, They expressed themselves as much pleased with their success in Berwick.—*Independent.*


WEAVER'S GREAT HORSE SALE.



HOTEL ENT, BLOOMSBURG, PA.,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 23rd, 1900.
AT 12:30 P. M.

This carload consists of speedy pacers and trotters, Farm, Draft and General Purpose Horses. Several family drivers. Sale positive. 60 days credit or 1 per cent. off for cash.

G. W. WEAVER.
J. S. WILLIAMS & SON, Auct.



# STAR CLOTHING HOUSE!

—FOR—

STYLISH GARMENTS,
READY TO WEAR,
—OR—
Made to Your Measure,
—GO TO—
# TOWNSEND'S.



All the latest novelties for spring wear, in hats, caps, shirts, underwear and neckwear, can always be found at

Townsend's Star Clothing House.


### An Old Case Decided.

The claim of Lawyer L. S. Wintersteen to the ownership of 201 shares of Bloomsburg Iron Company stock, formerly held by the estate of the late Samuel Knorr, was declared by Judge Little, in court last week, to be invalid. The stock, which Wintersteen declared belonged to him, had been assigned by Mary A. Knorr, executrix of the deceased, to James Scarlet and Levi Waller, on February 21, 1900. Judge Little in his opinion said that the stub of the stock certificate book of the Iron Company showed that certificate M, 185, dated February 7, 1893, for 201 shares, was issued to the estate of Samuel Knorr, which was the best evidence of ownership. The receiver of the company was ordered to pay Messrs. Waller and Scarlet, out of the money in his hands, a sum of money equal to 35 per cent. of the par value of 201 shares of the capital stock of the said company, the par value of each share being $50, or the sum of $3,517.50.


# Consumption

is robbed of its terrors by the fact that the best medical authorities state that it is a curable disease; and one of the happy things about it is, that its victims rarely ever lose hope.

You know there are all sorts of secret nostrums advertised to cure consumption. Some make absurd claims. We only say that if taken in time and the laws of health are properly observed.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

will heal the inflammation of the throat and lungs and nourish and strengthen the body so that it can throw off the disease.

We have thousands of testimonials where people claim they have been permanently cured of this malady.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.


### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF OLIVER E. MUTCHLER, LATE OF SHAMOKIN TWP., NORTH'D CO., PA., DEC'D.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Oliver E. Mutchler, late of Shamokin Twp., North'd Co., Pa., have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

EVERT C. PENSYL,
5 10 6t* Administrator.


# Shoes!

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## Do You Know

We have the Largest Stock of Shoes in the County?

You will make a mistake if you fail to see our lines before doing your shoe buying.

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## W. H. Moore,

COR. SECOND AND IRON STS.
**Bloomsburg, Pa.**



# Prove This Store By its Printed Promises.

That is what might be called taking high grounds, but it's safe ground. It wins business friendship, and business friendship is what we are after. When a community swears by a store, and that store strains every effort to sustain the good opinion of its public, there is bound to be a firm business friendship between them. Again we say prove this store by its printed promises.

### Wash Waist Promises.

We promise you some excellent values in excellent waists. They are Munson's waists, and you know, if you have ever tried them, that they fit, and are made as nice as you can make them yourself. White and colors. Price, 98c to $2 75.

### Dainty Under-Muslins.

The ready to wear is the wanted nowadays. These, with no sewing worry, are just as you would order or have them made at home, at two-thirds the cost. We have opened a new lot again this week. We have never offered better value.

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| Skirts, | from 50c to | $5 00 |
| Night Robes | " 50c to | 5 00 |
| Drawers, | " 19c to | 2 75 |

### Sound Values In Stylish Wash Stuffs.

The full bloom of summer is right here in this wash goods section. Summer sewing may be best done now. This showing should prompt you to an early purchase. 10c lawns at 8c. The best value at 15c you can find. The quality at 28c and styles are the best we have ever shown.

### Dress Goods Reduced.

The high water mark of dress goods usefulness for this season has been reached. The camelshair effects, 58 inches wide, that we sold all season at $1 25 and $1 19, reduced to 98c a yard.

### Black Dress Goods.

We buy these goods from the best makers and best importers. We get them then because we try our best to get goods that will give the best wear.

BLACK SERGES.

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| 42 ins. wide, sponged, | | 59c |
| 58 " " " | | 85c |
| 38 " " " | | 56c |

CHEVIOTS.

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| 42 ins. wide, sponged, | | 56c |
| 50 " " " | | 85c |
| 58 " " " | | $1 50 |

CAMEL'S HAIR.

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| 44 ins. wide, | | $1 00 |
| 58 " " | | 1 00 |
| Serge, 50 ins. wide, | | 1 40 |

### Ginghams For Dresses.

We put on sale Wednesday morning a lot of 10c Ginghams, in all colors, and as pretty patterns as we have ever shown, at 7c per yard.

If you want flour, get a sack of our Lily Patent, at 90c for 50 pounds. It is the best you can get.

# F. P. PURSEL.



## Our New Spring Values.

We have just received, for the spring trade, the very latest styles in Dress Goods, Waist Silks, Trimmings, Ribbons, Laces. In fact, all the latest style Dress Goods and Fancy Notions in the market.

LADIES' SPRING SUITS.—Ladies' and Misses' Spring Jackets. Latest styles, right prices.

SHOES! SHOES!—Great values, nobby styles, small prices. Our sales on shoes still increase. We are up to date at all times in this department.

SHIRT WAISTS AND SEPARATE SKIRTS.—It will pay you to see the styles and learn prices.

LADIES' WRAPPERS.—We keep a complete line.

Have you seen our great sewing machine? We are handling one of the best on the market. Up to date in every respect and price lowest. If you expect to buy, it will pay you to see our make of machine and learn our prices.

IN OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT.—We are at the front in fine groceries, fancy Chinaware. In dinner and chamber sets our sales are increasing every day.

You will find it will always pay to trade with us. Our aim has ever been to give you latest styles and best prices.

**Bloomsburg Store Co., Limited.**
Corner Main and Centre. ALFRED McHENRY, Mgr.



THE

'FRANKLIN' SHOE

FITS THE FOOT.

Men's, - $2.00
Boys' - - 1.50
Youths', - - 1.50
Little Gents', 1.25

Good Style, Good Fit, Good Wearers

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No. 8 East Main St.



THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1900.

*Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa. as second class matter, March 1, 1888.*


**Wanted!**

We want 500 new subscribers to the COLUMBIAN this spring and as a special inducement will include the *Farm Journal* from now until Dec., 1904, *free.*

Or the New York Thrice a week *World* for three months *free.*

Or the COLUMBIAN and *World* one year for $1.50. tf

**Pay Up and Get Both Papers at Price of one.**

*We want to get 500 new subscribers to our paper, and are going to do it if we can; we therefore continue our arrangement with the Farm Journal by which we can send* THE COLUMBIAN *one year and the Farm Journal 5 years, both for $1. And we make the same offer to all old subscribers who will pay all arrearages and one year in advance.*

You know what our paper is, and the *Farm Journal* is a gem—practical, progressive—a clean, honest, useful paper—full of gumption, full of sunshine, with an immense circulation among the best people everywhere. YOU OUGHT TO TAKE IT.

Legal advertisements on pages 6 and 7.

Leases and notices to quit, for sale at this office. tf.

Rain prevented the ball game between Wyoming and Normal Friday afternoon.

Two thousand tons of iron ore from Spain have been received at the Blast Furnace in Danville.

The Lackawanna railroad is raising its tracks in Danville to get them out of the reach of high water.

Will save you dollars! Our catalogue of ten cent music. Call and get one free at Thomas' Music Store.

The three representative state bodies of the Order of Odd Fellows are in session in Harrisburg this week.

If you are thinking of papering a room it will pay you to buy your paper at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

C. W. Miller and C. C. Peacock have been re-appointed trustees of the Normal School on the part of the state.

S. R. Bidleman is prepared to show new patterns of wall paper for 1900, at the lowest prices. He has the agency for the only wall paper factory that is not included in the Trust. tf.


BICYCLES!

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| Cleveland, - | $40 to $75 |
| Wolff-American, - | 35 to 75 |
| Reading, - - | 25 to 40 |
| Niagara, - - - - | 25 |
| Wolverine, - - - | 25 |

Call and see samples.
Second hand wheels for sale.

LARGE LINE OF

BICYCLE SUNDRIES!

AT LOWEST PRICES.

Easy terms to buyers.

W. S. Rishton, Ph. C.
Ent Building. Pharmacist
Telephone.


Two second-hand ranges for sale cheap at L. E. Whary's.

Bibles, large and small, a large stock at Mercer's.

A new brick crossing has been laid at Jefferson and Fifth streets.

When you come to Bloomsburg call at Thomas' Music Store and get a handsome callender free.

George Derr and William McHenry, were taken to the Danville Asylum for the insane on Monday.

A part of the spinning department of the Bloomsburg Silk Mill, on account of increasing business, is working nights.

An addition is soon to be made to the Lutheran church at Sunbury. Architect Brugler, of Danville, is making the drawings.

The concert given by the Busy Bees at the A. M. E. Church Thursday evening May 10th was a success. Net proceeds $15.13.

Bowling is a very popular pastime in Bloomsburg just now. J. R. Fowler placed a double alley in his restaurant, and it is well patronized.

"Difficulties give way to diligence," and disease germs and blood humors disappear when Hood's Sarsaparilla is faithfully taken.

Miss Nelle D. Edgar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Butler Edgar, of Danville, has taken temporary charge of the Thrall Hospital, at Middletown, N. Y.

We carry by far the largest line of bicycle tires and bicycle sundries and bicycles in Bloomsburg, and we will treat you right, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Through the instrumentality of Congressman Polk, Goodrich Post No. 22, G. A. R., of Danville will receive two cannon and eighty cannon balls from the government.

You can get your bike repaired in good style, and the workmanship is guaranteed, at the Bloomsburg Cycle Works, Iron street, rear of Moore's shoe store.

The new hose house of the Rescue Fire Company is rapidly assuming a completed appearance. The Fourth Warders are justly proud of the building.

There are a few fellows in town who are so decided against the British that they think it necessary to murder the English language every time they discuss the question.

Tablets, envelopes, paper, memorandum books, receipt books, notes, deeds, mortgages, blank books, box paper, and all kinds of stationery, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Riley W. Allen, of Williamsport, has purchased the land of the Lake Mokoma Land Co., near Laporte, and proposes opening a sanitarium and Chautauqua on the banks of the lake.

The men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Building, next Sunday afternoon, at 2:30, will be addressed by Mr. Robinson. Subject, "A Young Man's Influence." All men are invited to be present.

Mrs. F. G. Whitmoyer and two children, of Iola, have been seriously ill since Sunday with poison. They are not yet out of danger. Some of the food they ate is supposed to have contained the poison.

John L. Woods, Prof. G. E. Wilbur, J. W. Eyer, S. R. Bidleman, F. B. Hartman, O. H. Yetter, F. P. Eyer, A. N. Yost, Harry Barton R. F. Vanderslice, C. D. Lynn, Dr. M. J. Hess, F. R. Holmes, and E. H. Ent attended an open meeting of Montgomery Council, Royal Arcanum, Danville, Thursday evening.

The Montour county jail is without a prisoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Townsend are the parents of a new boy baby.

R. B. Grotz won the prize, a repeating rifle, at the indoor shooting gallery last week.

The line of the Montour & Columbia Telephone Co., is expected to be in operation by June 1st.

The Benton *Argus* wants to revive the Fair Association in that borough, and hold a fair this fall.

There being no case ready for trial on Monday, Judge Little discharged all the jurors. This is an exceptional occurrence in this county.

Simon Krebs, formerly of Danville, now of Somerset, and well known here, was recently elected a Director of the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co.

The bicycle track encircling Normal Athletic Field has just been given a top dressing and gives promise of being in excellent shape for field day.

Rev. Dr. D. S. Monroe, a former pastor of the M. E. church in this town, was elected Secretary of the General Conference of the M. E. Church now in session in Chicago.

A Sunday School Institute for Scott township, will be held in the Espy M. E. church this Friday evening. District President J. C. Creveling has arranged an interesting program.

The Bloomsburg Water Company will cut a channel through the race at Irondale, so that the water will run through it. The stagnant pools that exist at different points in the race breed disease.

A wheel on Woolsey's delivery wagon broke at the corner of Iron and First streets Tuesday forenoon and the vehicle, with its load of provisions, went down on the axle. The driver Wilbur Jacobs escaped uninjured.

If you need a Piano. Organ or anything in the Music Line, we can suit you in quality and price. If you doubt our word please call, when we will convince you. At Thomas' Music Store, Main street, Bloomsburg. 5-10 4t

The program for the Commencement exercises of the Bloomsburg schools is as follows: Friday evening, June 1st, oratorical contest; Monday evening, June 4, musicale, and Tuesday evening, June 5, commencement exercises.

Mrs. Samuel R. Thomas, for many years a sufferer from cancer, died at her home on East street Monday afternoon, aged sixty-five years. She is survived by a husband and four children. The funeral will occur this afternoon. Services will be held at the house.

The *Farm Journal* is cream, not skim milk, and just the paper for the man who keeps cows. It goes nearly five years (remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904) to every subscriber, new and old, to the COLUMBIAN who will pay a year ahead. Both papers for the price of one. Pay up.

Mrs. Supplee, relict of the late Geo. W. Supplee died at her home on West Main street, Wednesday evening of last week. Mrs. Supplee was a consistent christian lady, a member of the Baptist church and when able attended all its services. She was 74 years of age. The survivors are one son and three daughters, namely Mrs. Cyrus Demott, Millville; Mrs. Albert Girton, Jerseytown; Mrs. J. B. Nuss, Mainville and Horace W., of this town.

Do you want a cheap bicycle? If so, go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store. You can get a fairly good wheel for a small amount of money. We have second-hand wheels as follows: One Reading Reliable, $8.50; one Record, $7.50; one Columbia, $13.50; one Crescent, $12.00; one no name, $9.00; one ladies' Ben Hur pattern, $12.00; one ladies' Commercial, new tires, $13.00; one Crescent Tandem, $24.00; one Norwood Tandem, as good as any $65.00 tandem on the market, at $37.50.

Miss Ada L. A. Murcutt, a native of Australia, and a speaker that wins all hearts will be in Columbia county at the following named places and dates: Bloomsburg May 20 and 21; Cabin Run, May 22; Jamison City, May, 23 and 24; Coles Creek, May 25 and 26; Benton, May 27 and 28; Stillwater, May 29 and 30. The illustrated lecture will be on the "Gold Fields of Australia," at which a small admission will be charged. The other, a liberal collection is asked. Come and hear her.

## PURELY PERSONAL

F. M. Leader left on Monday for a business trip to Juniata county.

Mrs. Judge Murphy and daughter of Centralia are visiting friends in town.

Frank Phillips enjoyed a visit with Williamsport acquaintances over Sunday.

Miss Edna Wilson and Miss Anna Eyer have left for an extended visit with friends in Ohio.

George M. Hughes and Frank McBride have started on a six-weeks tour of the Pacific coast.

Miss Annie Woods returned home on Wednesday from an extended visit with relatives at Lewistown.

Miss Stella Cole who recently went to Philadelphia on a visit, will make her home in that city in the future.

Louisa M. Eves has returned to her home at Millville from Boston, where she took a course of music at the Conservatory of that city.

Charles H. Fornwald and family moved to Sunbury to-day. He has secured a position as stable boss in the private stables of Rohrbach & Son.

E. H. Little and wife on Tuesday moved to Scott township, where they will spend the summer, as has been their custom for the past few years.

William [illegible], of Stillwater, was in town on Monday. He conducts a blacksmith shop in that peaceful little village and is a first-class workman.

Bart Bisel spent Saturday and Sunday in town with his grand parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Rutter. He is employed as book keeper for a merchandise firm at Kingston.

Joseph Ratti started on Monday for his home in Italy. The trip will include a visit to the Paris Exposition, and he may, possibly, visit St. Petersburg. He will return in about three months.

Arthur Fortune has severed his connection with the Berwick Store Co., and has accepted a position as bookkeeper with a large New York City firm. He is a son of our townsman W. C. Fortune, and we are pleased to note his advancement.

There will be a meeting of the Civic Club on Saturday May 19 at three o'clock in the Tabernacle on Market street. All members of the club please make an effort to be present. Those wishing to join can do so by paying 50 cents and stating under which department they desire to work.

BY ORDER OF THE PRESIDENT.

Mrs. G. E. Wilbur, Mrs. B. F. Riddle, and Mrs. E. M. Knorr, of the Woman's Society; Miss Gertrude Briggs and Miss Katharine Donahue, of the Young Ladies' Society; Miss Martha Creasy and Miss Blanche Hartman, of the Girls' Mission Band, are the Bloomsburg delegates to the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Danville district of the Methodist Episcopal church, in session at Shickshinny this week.

The Prohibition County Convention will be held in the Tabernacle on Market street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. State Chairman Chas. R. Jones of Philadelphia, will be at the convention. In the evening Rev. C. H. Mead of New York, will address a Mass Meeting also in the Tabernacle, to which everybody is invited. There will be no charge for admission, but a collection will be taken to defray the expenses of the speaker.

The base ball representatives of Central Pennsylvania College augmented by two or three players from the Susquehanna University team lined up against Normal Monday afternoon. From the very start the inequality of the two clubs was apparent and the all-around superior strength of the Normalites made the game a farce. Captain Hayes changed his men around in about every way that his ingenuity could suggest, and even then the visitors were "dead easy." The poor showing made against other teams preceded the aggregation to this town, and as a result the spectators were few in number. Score:

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DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

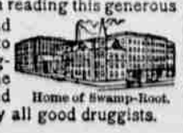
Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.



It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.



Home of Swamp-Root.



WHITE GOODS.

Our line of white dress materials and trimmings is now complete, in plains, plaids, stripes, figured. It will pay you to see them.

*WHITE GOODS.*

50 in. Paris muslin, fine and sheer, at 50c yard. Washes nicely.

68 in. Organdy, fine quality, nicely finished, at 70c yard.

40 in. white lawn, 12½c yd.

Special lot white India linen, of fine grade, at 20c yard.

*LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.*

If you have a want for these goods it will pay you to see our lines of them. A big line of separate insertions, as well as edges of all grades. A lot of Torchon laces, from 1 in. to 5 ins. wide, at 5c a yard.

*HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.*

Children's black hose, fine quality, all sizes. 25c a pair.

See the ladies' black hose at 3 pair for 35c, regular 15c goods.

Ladies' long sleeve vests 25c.

Taped neck and sleeve ladies' vests, 2 for 25c.

*DRESS GOODS.*

Some most excellent values in dress materials. We mention a few:

45 in. all wool serge, 55c a yard.

60 in. Cravenette serge, $1 50 a yard.

45 in. all wool Vigoroux, 75c a yard.

38 in. all wool Vigoroux, 50c a yard.

36 in. new wool plaids, 50c a yard.

50 inch broadcloths, $1 a yard.

*DRESS TRIMMINGS.*

A complete line of these in all the newest effects of the season. If you want trimmings, see this stock.

*SAILOR HATS AND FLOWERS.*

Our line of these is now ready, with all the newest effects of the season, and at lowest prices. See them.

*SHIRT WAISTS.*

A full line of waists, in white and colored, in the newest effects of the season.

H. J. CLARK & SON.



IN SHOE BUYING

Get the correct shape for your particular type of feet.



SEE THAT THIS Queen Quality $3.00 TRADE MARK IS BRANDED ON EVERY SHOE.

"QUEEN QUALITY" SHOES

are made in special shapes to fit the several types of feet. The price is not the only thing that has made "QUEEN QUALITY" famous.

Also a complete line of the famous CURTIS SHOE for men.

F. D. DENTLER





A Rich and Royal Gift can be selected from our superb stock of table silverware for wedding, birthday, silver wedding gifts, etc. We have them in the newest and most exclusive designs in the most skillful work of the silversmith, and in such large variety to choose from that the most fastidious taste can be catered to with satisfaction. Nice line of fine cut glass.

GEO. W. HESS,
OPTICIAN AND JEWELER,
6 E. Main St. Bloomsburg, Pa.



Wedding Gifts.

Intending purchasers of wedding gifts should bear in mind the fact that the Gorham Sterling Silver and Dorflinger Cut Glass are the most important houses in their line.

The Gorham reputation is due largely to its ability to produce constantly the choicest specimens in sterling silver at reasonable prices.

Dorflinger's reputation is due largely to the highly polished and clear cut and producing new and attractive designs.

Bric-a-Brac, Imported Wares Only.

Artistic designs in Japanese wares Cloisoniere vases, pot pourri jars, inkwells, etc., in beautiful designs. Call and examine my line.

J. LEE MARTIN
JEWELER AND REFRACTING OPTICIAN,
45 WEST MAIN STREET, - - BLOOMSBURG, PA
First-class watch and jewelry repairing.

# BOERS ARE BEATEN

## Attack on Mafeking Repulsed With Heavy Loss.

### Relief For Beleaguered Town Apparently In Sight.

### British, Under Buller, Occupy Glencoe—Now In Command of Drakenberg Passes.

LOURENCO MARQUES, May 16.—A Portuguese official dispatch says an encounter has occurred at Mafeking and that the Boers have been repulsed with heavy loss.

Dispatches received from both Boer and British sources Tuesday night left the situation at Mafeking in doubt. It was claimed at Pretoria that the town had fallen into the hands of the Boers and that Baden-Powell had surrendered with 900 fighting men.

Detailed stories were cabled of desperate fighting and a final grand assault on the town because of the rapid approach of relief. The Boers apparently captured the Kaffir laager, but were in turn surrounded by the plucky garrison and lost heavily in the battle.

## BOERS TO SURRENDER.

**A Strange Story From Cape Town via London.**

LONDON, May 16.—The most important development in today's war news is the statement cabled from Cape Town announcing that the Boer delegates had advised the Transvaalers to surrender if defeated at the Vaal. This remarkable announcement is vouched for on good authority and evidently obtains more credence in Cape Town than would a mere rumor.

The occupation of Glencoe was merely a logical sequel of General Buller's advance and the Boers' retiring movement. As usual, the Boers are reported to be flying precipitately, but also, as usual, the accounts add that their transport and guns were removed in safety, which in itself is a contradiction of any statement that the Boers were panic stricken.

Nothing further has been heard from Mafeking, and it is reasonable to suppose that the conditions there are unchanged. The prolongation of the siege only intensifies Great Britain's anxiety to hear of its relief.

About 1,100 more troops have arrived at Beira, Portuguese East Africa. Among them is Lord Dunraven, who accompanied the Dunraven sharpshooters as a supernumerary captain on the battalion staff.

The governor of Beira, Senhor Neyrelles, during the course of a speech at a dinner of the yeomanry, said:

"Friends as we have always been of England, we never could have realized the magnificent unity of the Anglo-Saxon race without such an object lesson. Realizing this, Portugal not only congratulates her ancient ally, but rejoices with it, as the strengthening of a friend is the strengthening of ourselves."

Apparently Lord Roberts is still waiting at Kroonstadt preparatory to making a swift movement on the Vaal river.

BULLER AT GLENCOE.

The war office has posted the following dispatch from General Buller, dated Dundee, May 16:

"We occupied Glencoe yesterday. The Transvaalers have now evacuated Biggarsberg. The Free Staters on the Drakenberg are much reduced in numbers. The Carolina, Lydenberg and Pretoria commandos trekked north from Hlatikulu on 13th and 14th of May. Eleven guns were entrained at Glencoe. The last train, with ambulance, left there at dawn May 15. This result has been largely produced by the action of the Fifth division, which, during the last few days, has done a great deal of very hard work, marching, mountain climbing and road making. Trains are now running to Wessels' Nek station."

The war office posts the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, under date of Kroonstadt, May 15:

"Two officers and six men of Prince Alfred's guards while out foraging yesterday, a few miles from Kroonstadt, had visited a farm flying a white flag, the owner of which surrendered himself, with arms and ammunition. They then approached another farm also flying a white flag. When within 40 yards of the enclosure, they were fired upon by 15 or 16 Boers, concealed behind the farm wall. Two of the men were killed, Lieutenant F. B. Walton was wounded and Lieutenant W. B. Everton and two noncommissioned officers were taken prisoners. The owner of the farm states that the Boers threatened to shoot him when he protested against their making an improper use of the white flag."

FIGHT BEFORE MAFEKING.

A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Lourenco Marques, dated Tuesday, says:

"There is now no doubt that there was desperate fighting at Mafeking Saturday, but it is believed to have gone in favor of the garrison. All that can be ascertained of a reliable character follows:

"The Boers, using artillery, attacked the town Saturday. Very soon the Kaffir location was in flames. Some say as the result of shell fire, others as the result of treachery. Fighting at close quarters became general, and in the midst of the confusion the Boers gained possession of the Kaffir location, from which point of vantage they brought guns to bear on the town at close range.

"By an adroit move the garrison, despite its attenuated numbers, succeeded in actually surrounding the party of Boers who had captured the Kaffir location. Severe fighting followed; but, according to the latest reports, the Boers still hold the location, in which they are probably surrounded.

"The truth is, I believe, that the Pretoria authorities, knowing of the progress of the relief column, gave orders to General Snyman to storm the place. As soon as the location was in flames Boer bulletins of victory were flying about everywhere to encourage the weak kneed burghers. Boers who came down here yesterday from Pretoria produced for the edification of incredulous Britishers two telegrams by officials, one of which was signed by Snyman and said, 'I was lucky enough to capture Baden-Powell with 900 this morning.'"

## SCHWAN'S RETURN.

**Gives an Account of the Situation In the Philippines.**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Brigadier General Theodore Schwan, who has been General Otis' chief of staff in the Philippines for nearly a year, has arrived here from Manila on the transport Thomas. He will remain in San Francisco for a short time awaiting orders from Washington assigning him to duty elsewhere. Concerning the situation in the Philippines General Schwan is hopeful that it will not be many months before affairs will have naturally adjusted themselves to the American control and the robber gangs will have been stamped out.

"The robber bands," said General Schwan, "are incited by native politicians who impose on the credulity of the common herd. No people are so credulous as the lower class of the Fillpinos. These leaders have been inciting the ex-soldiers to continue on the warpath, assuring them that an American election was soon coming and McKinley would be defeated and the Americans withdrawn from the Philippines.

"There are about 60,000 troops in the Philippines now. That number is ample for the situation. The islands are well covered with American troops, carefully distributed to all the strategic points and each garrison responsible for its own sphere of action. Many of the robber bands are armed, principally with keen edged bolos, the native weapon. They pillage small towns and frequently cut the throats of natives who have been friendly to Americans. By degrees, however, the distributed garrisons are gaining the confidence of the townspeople where they are stationed, and already have succeeded in some cases in getting native help to guide them to the robbers.

"After the wet season and after the national elections in this country the pacification of the Philippines will naturally complete itself. The natives are quickly acquiring the English language, and even the troublesome class send children to school to learn English. We are in complete military possession of the islands. The only problem is the civil government and that will come as a natural consequence of the others. In a year from now there will be no necessity for nearly so many men as we have there now."

**Presbyterians In Session.**

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—The advance guard of the one hundred and twelfth annual general assembly of the Presbyterian Church of North America, which will meet here tomorrow for a session lasting a week or more, has arrived. It is expected that at least 1,000 commissioners and delegates will be here tomorrow evening or Thursday morning.

Preliminary to the general assembly the national Presbyterian foreign missionary conference is in session at the Washington and Compton Avenue Presbyterian church.

This conference will last until a general assembly convenes, and the time will be taken up with a discussion of missions and the reception of reports. A number of missionaries from foreign lands are here to participate in the proceedings.

**The Army of the Potomac.**

NEW YORK, May 16.—General Horatio C. King announces that the president and cabinet will attend the annual reunion of the army of the Potomac at Fredericksburg, Va., May 25. To accommodate them the public welcome by the governor of Virginia and mayor of Fredericksburg and the oration of General Sickles will be given in the courthouse at 11 a. m. In the afternoon the cornerstone of the monument to be erected by General Butterfield will be laid in the National cemetery. In the evening there will be further ceremonies in the opera house and on the following day an excursion to Richmond.

**Miners' Strike Adjusted.**

CALUMET, Mich., May 16.—The Arcadian copper miners who have been on strike have accepted an advance of $4 per month. The Osceola mine strike has also been settled, the trammers accepting a 5 per cent increase. The trammers at the Winthrop have struck. At the Quincy mine no settlement has yet been reached. It is believed that the demands for higher wages will be made consecutively at all the Lake Superior copper mines, employing in all 35,000 men.

**Suspended Bank Resumes.**

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Canajoharie National bank of Canajoharie, N. Y., which suspended payment and was placed in the hands of a receiver Jan. 25, 1900, having complied with the conditions imposed by the comptroller of the currency precedent to its resumption and now being in a solvent condition, has been restored to the management of its officers and directors and permitted to resume business as an active national banking association.

**Fourth Class Postmasters.**

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The following fourth class postmasters have been appointed: Massachusetts—West Pittsfield, J. S. Hopkins. New Jersey—Cherry Hill, J. H. Weston. New York—Leek, J. Napier; Seneca, D. S. Allen. Pennsylvania—Eau Claire, G. H. Gibson; Norritonville, J. W. Zimmerman; Penn Valley, S. A. Lovett; Trout Run, F. P. Snyder.

**Coming Royal Marriage.**

BERLIN, May 16.—It is now settled that the marriage of Princess Maria Louise of Cumberland to Prince Maximilian of Baden will take place July 10 in the Protestant church at Gmunden, Upper Austria. There will be a festive entry into Carlsraut. Later they will go to Salem, on Lake Constance.

**Movements of Warships.**

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Dixie has arrived at Manila. The Buffalo has arrived at Azores. The Baltimore yesterday sailed from Shanghai for Hongkong, while the Isla de Cuba sailed from Hongkong for Manila.

**No Strike on Convention Hall.**

KANSAS CITY, May 16.—Two thousand men are involved in the Builders' club lockout, which went into effect Monday. It will not interfere with the work on Convention hall.

**Will Make Their Own Paper.**

BERLIN, May 16.—Owing to the creation of the printing paper syndicate the newspaper publishers have agreed to erect a mill themselves.

**Pope Leo Receives Corrigan.**

ROME, May 16.—The pope yesterday gave an audience to Archbishop Corrigan of New York.

# SENATE IS BAFFLED

## Clark's Coup Makes a Sensation In Washington.

### The Governor of Montana Is Highly Indignant.

### Condemns the Action of Lieutenant Governor In Appointing Clark In His Absence.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—At 1 o'clock President Pro Tem. Frye laid before the senate the Montana resolution. Mr. Chandler asked that the resolution be postponed until 1 o'clock on Saturday in order to give the senate committee on privileges and elections an opportunity to consider whether further action was necessary. This was agreed to.

To put the matter plainly, the United States senate does not know "where it is at" in the case of Mr. Clark of Montana. The committee on privileges and elections may be able to find out, but its members are, to say the least, skeptical of being able to solve the riddle in a hurry. The dramatic action in which the lieutenant governor of Montana and W. A. Clark, who resigned from the senate, figured was as unexpected as it seems to have been successful. In the twinkling of an eye the anti-Clark men found themselves undone and in such a clever manner that they cannot withhold their admiration. Now that the first surprise is over, the politicians are wondering why they did not think of it all before. But nobody did, and, so far as opinion among the lawyers and parliamentarians in the senate goes, Mr. Spriggs and Mr. Clark have won the day.

There seems to be no reasonable doubt, first, that a vacancy existed in the senate from Montana as soon as the governor had received Mr. Clark's resignation and he had notified the senate of the fact; second, that under the Montana law the lieutenant governor had a clear right to appoint; third, that these things being so the senate will have to admit Mr. Clark to his seat.

In proof of the claim that a vacancy existed, Senator Chandler, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, says there is no sort of doubt that the senate at present is made up of 86 senators, vacancies existing in Delaware, Utah, Pennsylvania and Montana.

Moreover, when Mr. Clark announced his resignation Mr. Frye, president of the senate pro tem. at once ordered his name stricken from the senate rolls, which was done. This was following all precedents since 1851, including that established in 1881, when Conkling and Platt so dramatically resigned as senators from New York. When a roll call was taken yesterday after Mr. Clark's speech, his name was not called. These facts seem to settle the point as to a vacancy existing.

As to the lieutenant governor's right to appoint in the absence from the state of the governor, there seems to be no question either. The constitution appears to be so clear on this point as to leave no room for dispute.

This state of feeling arises from the fact that Governor Smith, who is hostile to Clark, joined the remonstrants who asked the senate to refuse a seat to Clark because of the corruption practiced to secure his election. Smith came here to testify in the case, but in consequence of some peculiar circumstances attending his presence here it was considered best not to put him on the stand. He returned to Montana embittered toward Clark, and it has been understood that the chief reason for Clark's delay in resigning has been his knowledge that if he did resign the governor would appoint an opponent, possibly Marcus Daly, to succeed him.

Lieutenant Governor Spriggs, on the other hand, is a Clark man. He came here with the crowd of witnesses for Clark, lived at the hotel where the Clark witnesses spent the time while waiting to be heard by the committee on privileges and elections and labored early and late to produce a good impression for Clark. No one knows here how it happened that Smith should go away from Montana just at the time most desired by Clark and give Spriggs the chance to perform so important a service for his friend.

**Governor Smith Angry.**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The Examiner prints an interview from Wadsworth, Nev., with Governor Smith of Montana, who is en route from California to Helena, in which the governor is quoted as follows concerning the resignation and reappointment of Senator Clark:

"I came to California on business and never thought that such a scheme would be hatched during my absence from my executive duties, or I would never have left the chair in the power of the lieutenant governor. The trouble is the cause of my early return. There is no way of resenting this act, as the lieutenant governor is vested with the same rights as the governor during the latter's absence. I knew that Spriggs was favorable to Clark, but did not think he would be guilty of such an act in the face of the fact that not 25 per cent of the Montana people are favorable to Clark as their representative in the halls of congress."

**Colombia Rebels Defeated.**

COLON, Colombia, May 16.—The governor has received a dispatch announcing the defeat of the insurgents at Cucuta, department of Sandanger. The dispatch says that as Cucuta was the stronghold of the insurgents and their only stronghold this reverse will virtually put an end to the insurrection.

**Sixty Pigs Killed In a Wreck.**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 16.—Sixty pigs were killed in a freight wreck on the Central railroad here. The accident was caused by the breaking of an axle on an extra freight car. Three cars were wrecked, and passenger trains were delayed for five hours. No person was hurt.

**California Republicans.**

SACRAMENTO, May 16.—The Republican state convention has elected U. S. Grant, Jr.; George Pardee, George A. Knight, and N. D. Rideout delegates at large to the national Republican convention.

## ITALY'S MUDDLE.

**The Deputies Reassemble, but Obstructionists Are Still Active.**

ROME, May 16.—The Italian chamber of deputies reassembled yesterday after an interval of several weeks since the adjournment that was occasioned by the obstruction of the members of the Extreme Left, who withdrew in a body and refused to participate further in the proceedings of the chamber as a protest against the decision of Signor Colombo, president of the chamber, in upholding the alteration of the rules of procedure with a view to preventing obstruction.

At that time they denounced Signor Colombo's course as a violation of the constitution. Today they persisted in an equally uncompromising attitude.

Signor Giolitti proposed a resolution in the nature of a compromise, but Signor Pantano, on behalf of the Leftists, declared that they would never yield until respect for legality had been re-established.

General Pelloux, the premier, followed, announcing that the resolution could not be accepted under the new rules.

The Extreme Leftists then demanded a poll of the house to ascertain whether a quorum was present.

The president of the chamber refused to grant this request, basing his refusal upon the ground that the demand was incompatible with the new regulations.

This provoked an uproar, and a number of Leftists sang the "Hymn to Labor." The president was finally compelled to suspend the session. On its resumption later he asked the chamber to approve the minutes of the last sitting. The entire majority rose in support of the proposition, and Signor Colombo declared the minutes approved.

The Extreme Leftists were furious, shouted protests, banged their desks and sang the "Garibaldi Hymn."

Amid this din the president adjourned the session.

**Preserving a Historic House.**

HUDSON, N. Y., May 16.—Mrs. Marcellus Hartley of New York has presented to the Hendrick Hudson chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, the home of her father, Robert Jenkins, the third mayor of Hudson. Through the generosity of Mrs. Hartley the place has been remodeled, and a hall capable of seating over 300 people has been added. It was in this hall that the presentation exercises took place. After the singing of "America" by the chapter choral club and an invocation by Rev. John Chester, D. D., of Washington, Dr. H. Lyle Smith made the introductory remarks. It was explained that it was through the influence of Dr. Smith's book, "Mary and I Go to Europe," that the attention of Mrs. Hartley was first directed to the Hendrick Hudson chapter.

**Exports of Havana.**

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The total exports of merchandise, gold and silver from the port of Havana, Cuba, during the month of April, 1900, according to a statement made today by the division of customs and insular affairs of the war department, were $2,282,663. The exports to the United States during April, 1900, exceeded those of all countries combined by nearly $1,000,000. The total value of exports for January, 1900, was $2,535,711; for February, $2,345,785, and for March, $2,492,537, making the total value of exports for the first four months of the present year $9,656,696.

**Forty People Drowned.**

ROME, May 16.—A terrible accident, resulting in the death of from 30 to 40 persons, took place yesterday at Ronciglione, on the Lake of Vico, during a celebration of the fete of St. Lucie, whose chapel is on the shore of the lake. Two boats filled with young people capsized while returning from the chapel within 300 yards of the landing stage. Only 13 persons were saved.

**Killed by Premature Blast.**

SANDY HILL, N. Y., May 16.—At noon yesterday Jeter Quinn, an old quarryman, was killed and Andrew Mattroxick was badly injured at the quarry of the Keenan Lime company at Smith's Basin by a premature blast. Both men leave families.

**Seventeen Seamen Drowned.**

WINDAU, Russia, May 16.—The Norwegian ship Johannes, Captain Andersen, from Tonsberg, Norway, May 3, for Canada, has been wrecked off the island of Oesel, in the Baltic. Of her crew of 29 only 12 were saved.

**More "Boxer" Massacres.**

TIEN-TSIN, May 16.—More "Boxer" outrages are reported 60 miles north of Tien-tsin, where a number of native Christians have been massacred.

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Money on call nominally at 2a2¼ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3¾a4½ per cent. Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.88a4.88¼ for demand and at $4.84¾a4.84⅞ for 60 days. Posted rates, $4.85½ and $4.89a4.89½. Commercial bills, $4.84a4.84½. Silver certificates, 60a60½c. Bar silver, 59⅝c. Mexican dollars, 47½c. Government bonds easier. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular.

**Produce Market.**

NEW YORK, May 16.—FLOUR—State and western quiet, but steadier on choice grades; Minnesota patents, $3.60a3.85; winter straights, $3.40a3.50; winter extras, $2.55a2.90; winter patents, $3.60a3.85.

WHEAT—Strong and higher this morning on bullish crop news and active local covering; July, 71 13-16a72 5-16c.; September, 72 11-16a73 3-16c.

RYE—Steady; state, 57a58c., c. i. f., New York, carlots; No. 2 western, 61½c., f. o. b., afloat.

CORN—Also very strong on a scare of shorts resulting from too much wet weather; July, 42¾a42¾c.; September, 42½a43⅛c.

OATS—Dull, but steady; track, white, state, 28½a34c.; track, white, western, 28½a34c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $12a12.75; family, $14a14.50c.

LARD — Firm; prime western steam, 7.40c.

BUTTER—Firm; state dairy, 15½a19c.; state creamery, 16½a20c.

CHEESE—Quiet and weak; fancy, large, white, 10½a10⅝c.; fancy, small, white, 9½a9¾c.

EGGS—Dull; state and Pennsylvania, at mark, 12½a13c.; storage, western, at mark, 12¾c.

SUGAR — Raw steady; fair refining, 3 15-16c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 7-16c.; refined steady; crushed, 5.55c.; powdered, 5.25c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 51a51½c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 44a55c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4¼a6½c.; Japan, 4⅝a4⅞c.

TALLOW — Dull; city, 4⅞c. nominal; country, 4⅞a5⅛c.

HAY—Firm; shipping, 70a75c.; good to choice, 80a95c.

# ENGLAND'S CRIME.

**SHE ALLOWS MILIONS OF HER SUBJECTS TO STARVE.**

**While She Spends the Money That Would Save Them in Destroying the Boers in South Africa.**

In view of England's course in allowing millions of her subjects to starve while she is carrying on a war of "criminal aggression," the religious people of the world should send in a protest that would compel her to listen. The Christian Herald makes an impassioned appeal for aid to save India's starving millions. It gives horrible pictures, showing the effects of the starvation, and says: "Two cents a day will support one life; one dollar will save a life for two months; two dollars will save a life until harvest; ten dollars will save a whole family from death; fifty dollars would save five families; one hundred dollars would save a small community."

The Philadelphia North American, ever ready to see the wrongs and inconsistencies in such matters, very pertinently says:

"God forbid that we should do anything to check for one instant the flow of American benevolence toward a tortured people betrayed in their desperate need by their rightful protectors. But it is impossible to read this appeal without reflecting on the responsibilities of those who have made it necessary.

"India is a part of the British empire. The British government is spending $500,000,000 to subjugate a little group of farmers just outside of its dominions while its own subjects are dying by millions for lack of the assistance which it is amply able to furnish. Turing The Christian Herald's table into another shape, we may say:

"Two rifle cartridges a day will support one life.

"One six pounder shell will save a life for two months.

"One twelve pounder shell will save a life until harvest.

"One pair of cavalry boots will save a man, wife and child until the next crop is gathered.

"One minute's discharge of a Maxim gun would save a whole family from death.

"The cost of the war for one second will save ten lives for four months.

"Two rifles will save them and afford them the comfort of blankets during the rainy and cold season.

"The cost of firing one shot from a six inch gun would save five families.

"One scrub baggage train horse would save a small community.

"One-fifth of the cost of attempting to conquer the Boers would save the entire fifty millions of England's starving subjects in India.

"The rescue of these lives is simply a matter of money. There is food enough in India. All that is necessary is the means of buying it. 'The cable operates quickly,' says The Christian Herald, 'and your contribution today may save scores, hundreds, yes, thousands of lives tomorrow.' The cable would operate just as quickly at the command of the British government as at that of benevolent Americans. If it be true that every one of us who contributes two dollars saves the life of some wretched Hindoo who would die but for that succor, then every human being in India who perishes for lack of such assistance is murdered by the government that is abundantly able to supply it, but prefers to devote the price of ten Hindoo lives per second to the extinction of republicanism in South Africa. That is 'the price that staggers humanity.'"

**A Shock From Iowa.**

Nowhere will the conduct of the Iowa house of representatives produce so great a shock as in Pennsylvania. We actually see a branch of a state legislature overwhelmingly Republican pronouncing against a policy to which the party in congress has committed itself. Every member of congress from Iowa voted for the Porto Rico tariff bill and the speaker of the house, an Iowan, did all he could for the measure. Yet the Republicans of a branch of the Iowa legislature by unanimous vote adopt a resolution declaring for free trade with the island.

Fancy such independence in the legislature of Pennsylvania, if you can. Or supposing the impossible to happen, and the house at Harrisburg arrogating to itself the right to think and express its thought in such fashion—picture to yourself the horror of the machine. We should hear from Mr. Quay that the world was about to come to an end, and that every follower of Mr. Quay, after recovering his breath, would rend the skies with loyal shouts in denunciation of treason and insurgency so hideous.

Iowa takes the manifestation of its house's temerity with miraculous calmness. As yet we have seen no intimation from that state that the house has covered itself with everlasting infamy by daring to speak its honest mind. It even seems to be taken for granted out there that it is not revolutionary and indecent for a legislature to own itself instead of being owned by a boss.—Philadelphia North American.

"If to think as I do in regard to the interpretation of the constitution; in regard to the mandates of the moral law or the law of nations, to which all men and all nations must render obedience; in regard to the policies which are wisest for the conduct of the state, or in regard to those facts of recent history in the light of which we have acted or are to act hereafter, be treason, then Washington was a traitor; then Jefferson was a traitor; then Jackson was a traitor; then Franklin was a traitor; then Sumner was a traitor; then Lincoln was a traitor; then Webster was a traitor; then Clay was a traitor; then Corwin was a traitor; then Kent was a traitor; then Seward was a traitor; then McKinley, within two years, was a traitor; then the supreme court of the United States has been in the past a nest and hotbed of treason; then the people of the United States, for more than a century, have been traitors to their flag and their constitution."—U. S. Senator George F. Hoar.

If Mr. McKinley can't come out like a man, talk directly to the country and say what he wants and why he wants it, he deserves neither consideration nor confidence.—Chicago Journal.


## BE INDEPENDENT.

You can tell just as well as a physician whether your kidneys are diseased or healthy. Fill a tumbler with urine and let it stand 24 hours; if it has a sediment, if it is milky or cloudy, discolored or pale; if it is ropy or stringy, your kidneys and bladder are in a dangerous condition and you do not need a physician to tell you so.

Kidney diseases should be attended to at once, for almost 90 per cent. of our unexpected deaths of to-day are from that cause. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the only sure cure known for diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and blood, rheumatism, dyspepsia and chronic constipation. It is marvelous how it stops that pain in the back, relieves the necessity of urinating so often at night, drives away that scalding pain in passing water, corrects the bad effects of whiskey and beer and shows its beneficial effects on the system in an incredibly short time. It is sold by all drug stores at $1.00 a bottle.

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## CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

**Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.**

The heat caused one death and four prostrations in Chicago.

A heavy snowstorm was reported from Leipsic and Chemnitz, Germany.

The Rochester school bill, which was fraudulently amended, was declared null

The Methodist general conference at Chicago declared in favor of a negro bishop.

Two firemen at Somerville, N. J., were badly burned by gasoline from an exploded tank.

Terrible distress was reported in the famine districts of India despite the lavish distribution of funds.

A small fire which broke out in the Chateau d'Eau caused intense excitement on the Paris exposition grounds.

Argument in the franchise tax case before the appellate division of the supreme court was adjourned to the June term.

**Tuesday, May 15.**

The University of Cambridge conferred the degree of doctor of laws on the king of Sweden and Norway.

Philadelphia Republicans announced that they had raised the $100,000 pledged for the national convention.

Secretary Chamberlain introduced in the house of commons a bill to make Australia a federal commonwealth.

Hot weather prevailed in New York and vicinity, the thermometer in some cases registering as high as 94 degrees.

Rev. E. E. Patton made a sensational attack on churches and preachers from the stage of Burt's Opera House at Toledo.

A suit against the sugar trust at Trenton charged it with restraining trade illegally in an attempt to force the Arbuckle company to combine with it.

Charles H. Cole, former president of the Globe National bank of Boston, was sentenced to eight years in jail for misappropriation of funds.

**Monday, May 14.**

A coal mine explosion at Toms Creek, Va., killed six men.

Thirty-four schooners returning to Victoria, B. C., have secured 15,000 sealskins.

Three shiploads of arms from Germany were reported at Hongkong for the Filipino junta.

A fire in Fukin, Japan, has destroyed 1,600 houses and many temples at an estimated loss of $2,500,000.

Several American Roman Catholic prelates are in Rome in connection with the creation of a second American cardinal.

Large gold shipments from the United States and from Russia have eased the stringency in the London money market.

The American pavilion at the Paris exposition was formally turned over to the exposition authorities, great throngs of Americans witnessing the ceremonies.

**Saturday, May 12.**

The third drawing room of the season was held by the queen at Buckingham palace.

The Tennessee Democrats renominated Governor McMillin and declared for Bryan and the Chicago platform.

Major General Brooke relieved General Merritt at Governor's island, in charge of the department of the east.

It is reported at Constantinople that the Turkish minister in Washington has given the American government assurances of the settlement of its claims.

A threatening dispatch to the empress dowager of China from the Poh Wong Wei in America was stopped by the British embassy, in whose care it was sent.

**Friday, May 11.**

Much damage by frosts was reported.

The eruption of Vesuvius is reported practically over.

The queen arrived in London to attend today's drawing room.

Citizens of Rochester will give General Otis a banquet on his return home.

Advances have been made in transpacific passenger rates to take effect June 15.

The British colonial office has no confirmation of the reported fall of Kumassi.

Francesco Abbatta was hanged at Camden, N. J., for the murder of Gebarc de Feo.

Three prisoners escaped from the New York state reformatory at Elmira Wednesday night.

It is estimated that the cotton crop of the United States will be greater than last year by 10 per cent.

A cabinet crisis is expected to follow the demonstrations against the Spanish government's taxation schemes.

Two hundred and seventy-five Lehigh Valley car repairers struck at Buffalo in sympathy with the men already out.

The temperature in New York city Wednesday was 5 degrees lower than any previous record made for the same date in May.

**Thursday, May 10.**

Lightning set fire to a loaded trolley car on the Passaic-Hoboken line.

Fifty large postoffices showed an aggregate increase in receipts during April of $250,000.

The cable car service up Mount Vesuvius has been suspended in consequence of the eruption.

The conference for the discussion of race problems in the south opened at Montgomery, Ala.

The British ship Sierra Nevada was wrecked near Melbourne, and 23 lives were believed to have been lost.

Admiral Hichborn reported that work on the battleships Kearsarge and Kentucky was practically completed.

Serious demonstrations against the government's financial policy were reported from Spain, and the ministry was said to be greatly alarmed.

**Jeffries Still Champion.**

NEW YORK, May 15.—In the fastest, prettiest and closest heavyweight ring battle ever fought in New York James J. Jeffries has reaffirmed his right to the championship. In the arena of the Seaside Athletic club last night he decisively defeated Jim Corbett, once champion of the world himself, after 22 rounds of scientific fighting. It was a clean knockout that came so quickly that it dazed the thousands of keen, alert, intent spectators and left them in doubt as to just how the winning blow was delivered.

**Noted German Editor Arrives.**

NEW YORK, May 16.—Among yesterday's arrivals at this port was Dr. Johannes Trojan, the editor in chief of the Kladderadatsch, the German comic satirical weekly which is to Germany what Punch is to England. He is the most prominent and most liked German humorist of today. He is also a poet of reputation and a writer of short stories.


Ghosts would frighten many people who are not afraid of germs. Yet the germ is a real danger. If this microscopic animalism could be magnified to a size in proportion to its deadliness it would show like a giant python, or fire breathing dragon. The one fact to remember is that the germ is powerless to harm the body when the blood is pure. It is far easier to keep the germ out than to drive it out after it obtains a hold in the system. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the most powerful and perfect of blood purifying medicines. It increases the quantity as well as the quality of the blood, and enables the body to resist disease, or to throw it off if disease has obtained a footing in some weak organ. Wherever the digestion is impaired, the nutrition of the body is diminished, for the blood is made from the food which is eaten, and half digested food cannot supply the body with blood in quantity and quality adequate to its needs. For this condition there is no remedy equal to "Golden Medical Discovery." It cures ninety-eight out of every hundred persons who give it a fair trial. When there is constipation Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will promptly relieve and dermanly cure.


Wherever there is a gap in the mountains you will generally see a yawning chasm.

## TREASURER'S SALE OF UNSEATED AND SEATED LANDS IN COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA.

By virtue of Sundry Acts of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating to the sale of seated and unseated lands in the county of Columbia etc., for taxes due and unpaid I will offer at Public Sale in the Court House in the town of Bloomsburg, on

**MONDAY, JUNE 11th, 1900,**

at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described pieces of land or such part thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of taxes due and unpaid against the same and continue the same from day to day as the same may be found necessary.

### TERMS OF SALE.

The amount of taxes and costs must be paid when the land is struck down or off or the sale may be void and the property put up and resold.

| ACRES | LOTS | UNSEATED LANDS. Warrantee or Owners. | TAXES |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | *BEAVER TWP.* | |
| 52 | | Berringer, C E | $ 2 30 |
| | 1 | Beaver, Chas | 59 |
| | 3 | " Jesse | 1 77 |
| 75 | | Brockway & Abbott | 4 44 |
| 118 | | " " | 5 01 |
| | 3 | " C. B. | 1 77 |
| | 1 | Bogart, Mary | 59 |
| | 2 | Boyer, F. S. | 1 18 |
| 1401 | | Columbia Coal & Iron Co | 88 50 |
| | 2 | Crossing, Patrick Dec'd | 1 18 |
| | 1 | Corman, M | 59 |
| 24 | | Davis, Lloyd | 4 44 |
| 150 | | Davis, Isaac Est | 13 18 |
| 115 | | Davis, Anthony | 3 40 |
| 100 | | Downs, Martin | 4 44 |
| 16 | | Downs John | 59 |
| | 3 | Evans & Kase | 1 77 |
| 8 | | Fritz, John | 45 |
| 100 | | Funkhouse, R. M. | 2 90 |
| | 3 | Flanagan, A | 1 77 |
| | 3 | Frey, W. S. | 1 77 |
| 54 | | Hughes, Douglas | 2 93 |
| | 3 | Harman & Cluster | 1 77 |
| | 2 | Henry, George | 1 18 |
| | | Hinderliter, John | 6 48 |
| 200 | | " " | 14 16 |
| 480 | | Jacoby, O. A | 2 95 |
| 75 | | Kline, A | 59 |
| | 1 | Lawrence, W. R | 1 77 |
| | 3 | Montgomery, James W | 14 75 |
| 100 | | Martin, Wm | 1 77 |
| | 3 | Monday, John | 1 18 |
| | 2 | Miller, Henry | 11 05 |
| 300 | | " Adam | 1 48 |
| 35 | | Mc Aarney, G. N | 1 18 |
| | 2 | " " | 1 57 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 2 | " " | 1 18 |
| | 2 | " " | 3 00 |
| | 6 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 3 | " " | 1 77 |
| | 5 | " " | 2 95 |
| | 5 | " " | 2 95 |
| | 5 | " " | 2 95 |
| | 2 | " " | 1 18 |
| 218 | | Michael, Emma | 11 35 |
| 140 | | Nuggesser, George | 5 90 |
| 100 | | Neans, Joseph Jr | 5 90 |
| | 3 | Price, Clarence | 1 77 |
| 83 | | Rice, Abraham Est | 2 95 |
| | 3 | Ruthford, Samuel | 1 77 |
| | | Shuman, T. J | 59 |
| 2 | 3 | Schreck, I. J | 1 77 |
| | 3 | Smith, J. W | 1 77 |
| 140 | | Schweppenheiser, Isaac | 8 36 |
| 57 | | Shuman, F. I | 3 70 |
| 49 | | Troy, Daniel E | 1 48 |
| 129 | | " " | 3 84 |
| 237 | | " " | 7 00 |
| 273 | | " " | 8 06 |
| 367 | | " " | 10 85 |
| 43 | | " " | 2 36 |
| 50 | | " " | 2 95 |
| 55 | | " " | 2 18 |
| | 3 | Workheiser, Samuel | 1 77 |
| | 6 | " " | 3 54 |
| 50 | | Lebo, Henry | 2 95 |
| 80 | | Klingarman, John | 2 46 |
| | 5 | Miller, George | 1 73 |
| 55 | | Rice, Nathan | 2 07 |
| | | *BENTON TWP.* | |
| | | Gibbons, S. M | 8 10 |
| 38 | | Kline, John S. Est | 1 36 |
| 12 | | *BRIARCREEK TWP.* | |
| 100 | | Apple, Paul | 2 58 |
| 10 | | Adam, Henry | 25 |
| 100 | | Bryan, Guy | 2 58 |
| 60 | | Crispin, Benjamin | 12 88 |
| 25 | | " | 1 30 |
| 50 | | Clem, Rev. W. T. Est | 5 15 |
| 48 | | Dodson, Chas. A | 1 38 |
| 10 | | Dietterick, Stephen | 1 30 |
| 56 | | Frees, Bradley | 7 21 |
| ½ of 14 | | Koons, Geo. W | 19 |
| 100 | | " | 2 58 |
| | | Lansdale, Vesta M'l | 45 08 |
| 350 | | Adams, Elliott Jr | |
| 75 | | Mack, Hill & Co | 10 30 |
| 400 | | McHenry, O. D | 1 94 |
| 322 | | " " | 8 30 |
| 100 | | " " | 2 57 |
| 16 | | " " | 41 |
| 100 | | " " | 2 51 |
| 52 | | " " | 1 34 |
| ½ of 14 | | " " | 19 |
| 218 | | Rhinard, Samuel | 8 62 |
| 110 | | Sarver, Geo W. Est | 2 85 |
| 200 | | Swab, T. P | 5 15 |
| 10 | | Sitler, Reuben | 97 |
| 21 | | Smith, B. F | 1 09 |
| 50 | | Sult, John W | 1 30 |
| 150 | | Vercoe, Wm | 3 88 |
| 46 | | Westler, Geo. W | 1 19 |
| 48 | | Agnew, Mrs. L. E | 1 20 |
| | | *CATAWISSA TWP.* | |
| 8½ | | Breisch, Harman H | 1 20 |
| 8 | | " John E | 76 |
| 18 | | Clewell, Wm | 3 00 |
| 8 | | Campbell, U. J | 1 20 |
| 207 | | Dornbach, Margaret | 9 00 |
| 207 | | Kiner, Robert | 8 10 |
| 112 | | Miller, J. G | 1 80 |
| 178 | | " " | 2 70 |
| 7 | | " " | 90 |
| 31 | | Newell, Fred | 1 20 |
| 30 | | Weaver, Elias | 12 00 |
| 20 | | Yetter Lewis Est | 60 |
| 12 | | Yetter, Boyd | 4 50 |
| | | *CATAWISSA BORO.* | |
| 8 | | Biddle, Heirs | 98 |
| | 1 | *CENTRALIA BORO.* Price, Mrs. Wm. H | 8 20 |
| | | *CENTRE TWP.* | |
| 5 | | Bellas, Reuben | 1 29 |
| 10 | | Bloom, Polly Est | 2 33 |
| 5 | | Coleman, C. C. Est | 1 18 |
| 75 | | Lockard, George | 10 49 |
| 5 | | Fisher, Wm | 1 18 |
| 10 | | Hagenbuch, E. D | 2 05 |
| 34 | | Hoffman, Wm Est | 7 90 |
| | 1 | Hess Effie | 58 |
| 25 | | McHenry, Dorcas | 1 19 |
| | 1 | Kirkendall, John and Heirs | 1 19 |
| 5 | | Snyder Wm. B | 82 |
| 3½ | | " | |
| | | *CLEVELAND TWP.* | |
| 200 | | Billington, Thomas | 21 67 |
| 95 | | Kreiner, Dornick | 4 20 |
| 92 | | Kulp & McWilliams | 11 10 |
| 200 | | Myers, Mary | 11 84 |
| 200 | | Rustin, Mary | 11 84 |
| 200 | | " Charlotte | 11 84 |
| 100 | | " Thomas | 7 40 |
| 200 | | Reynolds, John | 11 80 |
| 190 | | Reese, Daniel | 11 84 |
| 43 | | Schaffer, Henry | 2 94 |
| | | *CONYNGHAM TWP.* | |
| Acres. | Lots. | | |
| | 2 | Boyer George | 2 50 |
| | | Beam Joshua | 105 00 |
| 429 | | Bretsch Robert | 1 26 |
| 13 | | Fetterolf Daniel | 2 50 |
| | 2 | Leiby Samuel | 1 28 |
| | 1 | Leiby Albert | 1 28 |
| | 1 | Leiby Harvey | 1 28 |
| | 1 | Hummel John | 1 28 |
| | 1 | McManaman Felix | 1 28 |
| | 1 | McManaman Mary | 2 56 |
| | 1 | Monroe John | 1 28 |
| 175 | 1 | Rustin Thomas | 17 50 |
| 335 | | Rustin Mary | 50 00 |
| 8 | | Walker Lewis | 80 00 |
| | | *FISHINGCREEK TWP.* | |
| 61 | | Harrison John | 3 90 |
| 21 | | Hide J. and G. W | 3 90 |
| 66 | | Creasy & Wells | 4 88 |
| 150 | | Mellenry O. D | 9 75 |
| 50 | | Mellenry O. D | 3 25 |
| 50 | | Unangst M. H | 3 25 |
| 200 | | Kindt John & Co | 10 80 |
| | | *FRANKLIN TWP.* | |
| 1 | | Bibby Augustus | 23 |
| 2 | | Bibby James R | 45 |
| 1 | | Bibby James R | 23 |
| 22 | | Boer Nelson | 2 25 |
| 1 | | Hayhurst Ezra Heirs | 23 |
| 1 | | Loreman Jonathan | 23 |
| 1 | | Manhart Geo., Est | 13 |
| 34 | | Vastine J. H | 23 |
| 29 | | Vought Peter H | 2 25 |
| | | *GREENWOOD TWP.* | |
| 64 | | Albertson Miles & Bartley | 8 48 |
| 40 | | Derr bros | 2 66 |
| 140 | | Kline Wm | 5 30 |
| 114 | | Stackhouse M. E | 5 30 |
| | | *HEMLOCK TWP.* | |
| 30 | | Appleman L. P | 5 70 |
| 34 | | Kline M. M | 2 86 |
| | | *JACKSON TWP.* | |
| 238 | | Miller & Neyhard | 42 70 |
| 216 | | Miller & Neyhard | 36 60 |
| | | *LOCUST TWP.* | |
| 95 | | Kulp & Darlington | 23 35 |
| 80 | | Dewart George | 6 30 |
| 30 | | Lengenberger Philip | 2 76 |
| 43 | | Shaffer Henry | 2 58 |
| | | *MADISON TWP.* | |
| 15 | | Beagle George | 2 40 |
| 11 | | Corell Joseph | 4 80 |
| 25 | | Cox Joel | 1 92 |
| 14 | | Demott Calvin | 1 81 |
| 168 | | Evans & Casey | 9 60 |
| 80 | | Hendershott Erastus | 6 01 |
| 22 | | Hartman George | 2 40 |
| 60 | | Johnston H. W | 2 40 |
| 48 | | Kreppeneck Chas | 3 02 |
| 15 | | Masters David & Wm | 4 80 |
| 50 | | Masters David & Wm | 4 80 |
| 30 | | Roat Daniel, Est | 7 20 |
| 20 | | Sands Charles | 2 40 |
| 18 | | Shoemaker Jacob | 2 40 |
| | | Montague Theodore | 1 25 |
| | | Robbins Harry | 2 20 |
| | | Greenly Howard | 2 50 |
| | | *MAIN TWP.* | |
| 94 | | Brockway & Ent | 1 18 |
| 112 | | Boone Aaron | 2 35 |
| 27 | | Bauman J. F | 4 70 |
| 6 | | Creasy Wm., Est | 2 35 |
| 2 | | Deer Samuel, Est | 59 |
| 35 | | Hinderliter Henry | 94 |
| 4 | | Hawk W. H | 12 |
| 23 | | Harmony W. M | 1 30 |
| 12 | | Keifer James | 2 35 |
| 10 | | Miller W. H | 2 35 |
| 5 | | Miller Nathan | 1 77 |
| | | Miller Nathan | 1 18 |
| | | McWillian M. M | 7 05 |
| | | Miller Aaron | 1 18 |
| | | Shuman Reuben, Est | 3 53 |
| | | Shuman Frank | 2 35 |
| | | Schmick, Brobst, Yetter & Hawk | 2 34 |
| | | Yetter J. B | 3 64 |
| | | Yetter J B | 3 53 |
| | | Yetter B. R | 2 35 |
| | | Breisch C. W | 1 09 |
| | | Harmony W. M | 06 |
| | | *MIFFLIN TWP.* | |
| | | Creasy Hiram | 3 24 |
| | | Dornbach Naomi | 3 24 |
| | | Hess Priscilla, Est | 3 24 |
| | | Keller H. J | 8 60 |
| | | Michael Joe & Peter F | 1 09 |
| | | Michael Joe & Peter F | 85 |
| | | Mowrey John M | 3 24 |
| | | Nuss Jacob | 1 05 |
| | | Prahler Fred, Est | 8 60 |
| | | Parks J. & A. V | 1 64 |
| | | Schweppenheiser Horace | 4 30 |
| | | Slusser Stephen | 3 24 |
| | | Schreck J. A | 4 30 |
| | | Schreck J. A | 1 64 |
| | | Suit Peter J | 1 64 |
| | | Westler G. H | 1 19 |
| | | Westler G. H | 66 |
| | | Yohe J. R., Est | 3 24 |
| | | Yetter Boyd R | 6 45 |
| | | Nuss Henry | 34 |
| | | Nuss Eliza | 34 |
| | | Nuss Wesley's heirs | 44 |
| | | Schweppenheiser I. K., Abraham and Horace | 34 |
| | | *MONTOUR TWP.* | |
| | | Huntington Elmira | 2 88 |
| | | Frey Daniel | 1 08 |
| | | Snyder Jerry | 5 18 |
| | | *MT. PLEASANT TWP.* | |
| | | Musgrave Mary M | 27 |
| | | *ORANGE TWP.* | |
| | | Hess J. A | 1 06 |
| | | Robbins Ira | 32 |
| | | Drake Mrs. Francis | 32 |
| | | Delong Perry | 42 |
| | | Everitt Moses, Est | 3 36 |
| | | Neyhard Wm | 1 16 |
| | | Mengle John F | 4 20 |
| | | Remley & Stiner | 1 16 |
| | | Creveling Samuel | 81 |
| | | *PINE TWP.* | |
| | | Driblebis Dallis | 1 75 |
| | | Eves C. W., Est | 7 06 |
| | | Eves C. W., Est | 6 90 |
| | | Frick G. A., Est | 5 54 |
| | | Ball William | 12 |
| | | *ROARINGCREEK TWP.* | |
| | | Bitting Geo. A | 7 50 |
| | | Boughner Peter | 1 49 |
| | | Campbell Mrs. M. M | 1 49 |
| | | Cox C. S., Ex. of T. Cox | 2 36 |
| | | Cox C. S., Ex. of T. Cox | 11 80 |
| | | Cox C. S., Ex. of T. Cox | 3 54 |
| | | Croop A. B | 4 59 |
| | | Dillplain Ezekiel | 2 36 |
| | | John Stacy, Est | 3 54 |
| | | Morris & Hughes | 8 26 |
| | | McMillan M. M | 10 93 |
| | | Philadelphia City Co | 1 80 |
| | | Stroup Abraham | 11 75 |
| | | Stroup Abraham | 2 99 |
| | | Stroup Abraham | 2 08 |
| | | Yeager Geo. & Wilson | 2 78 |
| | | Yetter Lewis, Est | 5 90 |
| | | Yetter Lewis, Est | 1 49 |
| | | *SUGARLOAF TWP.* | |
| 250 | | Butt & McHenry | 9 90 |
| 75 | | Custer Mary | 4 66 |
| 50 | | Cope Israel | 13 96 |
| 60 | | Grotz H. H | 18 60 |
| ¼ of 119 | | Hess Wesley Sr | 27 90 |
| ¼ of 119 | | Hess Wesley Sr | 32 56 |
| ¼ of 119 | | Hess Wesley Sr | 32 56 |
| 94 | | Smith Miner R., Est | 23 26 |
| 380 | | McHenry Rohr | 18 60 |
| 500 | | Edgar T. H | 9 20 |
| 200 | | Edgar T. H | 4 66 |
| 4 | | Hess Richard | 1 16 |
| 5 | | Seward Wm. James | 2 20 |
| 250 | | McHenry A. L. & W. L | 4 35 |

| ACRES | LOTS | SEATED LANDS. Warrantee or owner. | TAXE |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | *BEAVER TWP.* | |
| 70 | | Baker, Charles | $ 9 50 |
| 8 | | " John | 8 75 |
| 1 | | Davis, Jacob | 4 90 |
| ½ | | Ervin, Charles | 1 50 |
| | 1 | Knittle, Michael | 95 |
| | 1 | Lynch, Elizabeth | 2 95 |
| | | " Annie | 1 18 |
| | 5 | Miller, George | 1 81 |
| 347 | | " Longenberger, Fisher | 365 50 |
| 5 | | Martin, Mrs. Wm | 3 66 |
| 3 | | Megley, R H | 5 90 |
| | | Markle Bros & Co | 24 78 |
| 10 | | Rhoads, Peter | 6 13 |
| 2 | | Stiney, Martin | 49 |
| | | Witchey, Wm | 95 |
| 1 | | Monday, Nancy | 35 |
| 1 | | Boyle, Wm estate | 37 |
| 3 | | " " | 38 |
| | | Boyles, Wm | 1 13 |
| | | " " | 1 13 |
| 2 | | Roach, Peter | 1 25 |
| | | Evans, Thos B | 8 25 |
| 2 | | Davis, H J | 2 00 |
| | | " Emily and Mary Jane Hartley | 6 50 |
| | | *BENTON BORO.* | |
| | | Colley, R L F estate | 13 30 |
| | | *BENTON TWP.* | |
| | | Chapen, D L | 76 |
| | | *BLOOM TWP.* | |
| 1 | | Evans, W C | 4 46 |
| 1 | | Edgar, T H | 8 31 |
| 1 | | " " | 1 94 |
| 1 | | " " | 2 09 |
| 1 | | Eyer, C W | 2 91 |
| 1 | | Ferguson, W B | 1 98 |
| 1 | | " " | 97 |
| 1 | | " " | 4 46 |
| 1 | | Harder, Wm | 8 31 |
| 1 | | Humphrey, Harry | 3 89 |
| 1 | | Laubach, W B | 6 68 |
| 1 | | Lyons, Mrs Bryson | 3 13 |
| 1 | | Ohl, M T | 97 |
| 1 | | Rhoades, Benneville | 1 98 |
| 1 | | Webb, J N | 5 78 |
| 1 | | Yost, Oscar | 12 46 |
| | | Citizens Land Association | 42 97 |
| | | " " | 3 83 |
| | | Crawford, Warren | 1 45 |
| | | Conner, Theo F | 6 68 |
| | | " P H | 6 68 |
| | | Ferguson, Wm | 1 93 |
| | | " Mrs Wm | 1 93 |
| | | " " " | 97 |
| | | Fisher, John | 1 98 |
| | | Herring, W H | 6 68 |
| | | Jayne, S C | 1 93 |
| | | Kase, F G | 6 68 |
| | | Lunbream Josiah | 97 |
| | | Moll, Florinda | 2 78 |
| | | Miller, H J | 2 92 |
| | | Miller and McReynolds | 97 |
| | | Manhning John | 1 93 |
| | | Miller, C W | 1 93 |
| | | " " | 1 46 |
| | | " " | 1 46 |
| | | " " | 1 93 |
| | | " " | 1 93 |
| | | " " | 7 71 |
| | | " F E | 8 85 |
| | | " C W | 17 81 |
| | | " " & Co | 9 61 |
| | | Moore & Lemon | 3 34 |
| | | " " | 3 35 |
| | | " " | 4 45 |
| | | Neyhard, J W | 1 12 |
| | | Prosser, Jno W | 1 33 |
| | | " " | 3 15 |
| | | Smith, R T & Son | 1 69 |
| | | Shives, S C (2 lots) | 9 63 |
| | | " | 55 65 |
| | | Sands, C E | 1 46 |
| | | Taylor, W B | 2 23 |
| | | Watson J P | 1 46 |
| | | " Sarah | 1 46 |
| | | Webb, J N | 6 68 |
| | | Watts, H W (2 lots) | 2 23 |
| | | " (1 lot) | 97 |
| | | " Howard | 8 91 |
| | | Wall, W C | 6 68 |
| | | Bloom Match Co | 19 88 |
| | | Hessel, Lewis & Co | 4 83 |
| | | *CENTRALIA BORO.* | |
| 1 | | Farrell, Bridget | 8 40 |
| 1 | | Monaghan, Grace | 2 80 |
| 1 | | " Sara | 2 80 |
| | | Coddington, Mary | 2 00 |
| | | Reilly, Jas M | 1 40 |
| | | Monagham, Sarah | 80 |
| | | McFadden, Edward | 5 95 |
| | | McKinney, Chas | 1 12 |
| 1 | | McKinney, Chas | 3 66 |
| 2 | | Parsick, Rosa | 17 04 |
| | | CATAWISSA TWP. | |
| | | Bender, Mazie | 12 14 |
| 40 | | Knittle, J. Bert | 9 25 |
| 31 | | Scott, John | 10 45 |
| 60 | | *CENTRE TWP.* | |
| | 1 | Henry, Sabina | 2 62 |
| | | Millington, W A | 4 55 |
| 25 | | Remley, Sarah A | 71 |
| 5 | | Wolverton, Regina | 7 10 |
| 5 | | " " | 1 78 |
| ¾ | | Wagner, C D | 2 13 |
| 2 | | Williams, Miles A estate | 2 68 |
| 14 | | Wagner, C D | 72 |
| 15 | | Boone, Samuel | 2 70 |
| 4 | | Croop, M H & Wesley Shaffer | 72 |
| | | Henry, Sabina | 2 70 |
| | | Lohrman, T J | 1 80 |
| | | Lyne, Levi | 1 35 |
| | | " George | 2 70 |
| | | Remley, Ella M | 1 80 |
| | | " " | 46 |
| | | Romick, Chas | 3 92 |
| | | " " | 36 |
| | | Sponenberg, Mary | 2 52 |
| | | " " | 72 |
| | | *CLEVELAND TWP.* | |
| | | Tewksbury, E M | 8 55 |
| | | Ertly, Sebastian estate | 55 |
| | | Clayberger, Adam | 1 54 |
| | | *CONYNGHAM TWP* | |
| 400 | | Brown, Nathaniel | 863 00 |
| 385 | | Beasley, Johnson | 173 25 |
| 1 | | Ernstberger, Barney | 1 48 |
| 1 | | Flarney, John | 80 |
| 1 | | Haffey, Mrs John | 80 |
| 1 | | Heffron, Philip | 5 20 |
| 1 | | Kress, Margaret | 1 35 |
| 1 | | Munley, Margaret | 2 60 |
| 1 | | Naughton, Frank | 5 20 |
| 1 | | Rowan, Thomas | 1 75 |
| 1 | | Dougherty, Barney | 3 50 |
| 1 | | McGuire, Mary | 6 60 |
| 1 | | Tooley, Thomas | 10 20 |
| | | Riley & Co | 5 40 |
| | | *FISHINGCREEK TWP.* | |
| 25 | | Black, Perry | 3 49 |
| 15 | | Bogart, John | 6 78 |
| 10 | | Force, Russel | 3 60 |
| 6 | | Kline, Peter | 2 91 |
| | | Keeler, Ida G | 11 71 |
| | | Ale, Jackson | 75 |
| | | Redline, B F | 3 64 |
| | | *GREENWOOD TWP.* | |
| 3 | | Arwine, Eliza, Estate | 1 25 |
| 1 | | Taylor, Elihue, Estate | 2 32 |
| 1 | | Trivelpiece, Joseph | 2 48 |
| | | Watts, Earnest | 83 |
| | | *HEMLOCK TWP.* | |
| 6 | | Ebner, Wm | 2 92 |
| 1 | | Hielinger, W L | 2 92 |
| 1 | | Hielinger, W L | 2 92 |
| | | Herring, Grant | 1 95 |
| 16 | | Miller, Aaron, Estate | 1 15 |
| 30 | | Pursell, Mary J | 4 25 |
| 1 | | White, H V | 2 92 |
| | | Sandal, Nathan | 1 60 |
| | | Mason, Jas, Estate | 1 50 |
| | | McDormick, John | 3 00 |
| | | *JACKSON TWP.* | |
| 10 | | Hess, Elizabeth | 1 54 |
| 25 | | Roberts, John | 5 73 |
| 50 | | Yorks, John S | 6 84 |
| 80 | | Rhone, Jesse A | 1 79 |
| 238 | | Miller & Neyhart | 3 50 |
| 216 | | Miller & Neyhart | 3 00 |
| | | *LOCUST TWP.* | |
| 8 | | Rhoads, Susan, Estate | 5 30 |
| 33 | | Bitner, Geo W | 5 60 |
| | | *MADISON TWP.* | |
| 50 | | Cox, Chester | 8 22 |
| 50 | | Cox, Martin E | 6 95 |
| 69 | | Evans, & Casey | 7 20 |
| 1 | | Holderman, Henry | 47 |
| 80 | | Kramer & Moore | 10 80 |
| 37 | | Smith, N B | 8 20 |
| 2 | | Shoemaker, I H | 2 55 |
| 80 | | Whitmire, James | 6 95 |
| 47 | | Derr, Chas | 3 52 |
| 47 | | Hendershott, Mary | 4 75 |
| 100 | | Hartman, George | 7 65 |
| 16 | | Bankes, Peter | 4 48 |
| | | *MONTOUR TWP.* | |
| 1 | | Parker W L & Co | 21 00 |
| | | Parker, M L | 1 18 |
| | | Snyder, Jere | 96 |
| | | *ORANGE TWP.* | |
| | | Boone, Isaac | 3 38 |
| 17 | | C P & W R R | 1 84 |
| 1 | | Drake, Catharine | 1 04 |
| 1 | | Harman, B S | 79 |
| ¾ | | Patterson, Margaret | 3 06 |
| 12-13 | | Rush, Theodore | 3 60 |
| 1 | | Vanderslice, H W | 13 50 |
| 18 | | Evans, Elisha | 1 50 |
| | | McClure, Drake, Estate | 1 46 |
| | | Boone, Hannah, Estate | 1 58 |
| | | Musselman, A W | 1 13 |
| | | Republican, S & L Assn | 8 40 |
| | | *PINE TWP.* | |
| 65 | | Allen, D P | 3 38 |
| 25 | | Eves, C W, Estate | 2 55 |
| | | " " " | 7 65 |
| 35 | | " " " | 2 55 |
| 12 | | Johnson, T W | 82 |
| 1 | | Lyons, Ezra, Estate | 24 |
| 12 | | Shultz, Zebulin | 1 18 |
| 40 | | Sands, J E | 3 66 |
| 48 | | Hoss, W T | 3 65 |
| 100 | | Cole, Alinas | 5 55 |
| | | Miller, C W | 5 70 |
| | | Watts, Lloyd | 90 |
| | | Willers & Sheep | 84 |
| | | *ROARINGCREEK TWP.* | |
| | | Fetteroif, Daniel | 1 12 |
| 5 | | Levan, Harrison | 1 70 |
| | | Stauffer, Joseph | 4 50 |
| | | *SCOTT TWP.* | |
| | 1 | Bear, David | 1 69 |
| 3 | | Crouse, Nelson | 4 50 |
| ¾ | | Columbia Lime & Iron Co | 6 40 |
| ¾ | | Hopper, Wm. Sr | 7 49 |
| | 2 | Pursel, W B & Bro | 4 50 |
| | 1 | Pleasant, Thos E | 3 28 |
| | 1 | Thornton, Richard | 6 39 |
| | 1 | Warden, John, Estate | 13 50 |
| | | Edgar, Martha, Est | 4 50 |
| | | *SUGARLOAF TWP.* | |
| 75 | | Cole, Mrs Joshua | 3 27 |
| 96 | | Hughes, Wellington | 23 26 |
| | 1 | Cole, Benton W | 10 96 |
| | | Keller Jacob | 1 50 |

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### SALES.

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., Carnelia A. Dent will sell at public sale a valuable house and lot situated on Third street, Scott Town, Bloomsburg, Pa., containing excellent water, a good barn and fruit trees in abundance. Terms made known on day of sale.

### Lunch Supper.

Next Thursday evening, May 24, the Ladies' Auxiliary will serve a supper in the Y. M. C. A. Building, from 5 to 10 o'clock. Price, 15c. Ice cream and cake extra. The patronage of everybody who are interested in the work is earnestly solicited.

Clinton Lloyd, one of the oldest members of the bar of Lycoming county died at his home in Muncy last Thursday.

A. L. Fritz, a prominent farmer of Sugarloaf township, has recovered from an illness that confined him to the house for several months.

The Winona base ball team has received many challenges. The boys will probably go to Montgomery for two games on Memorial Day.

Thos. B. Moore, who accidentally shot himself in the left foot with a flobert rifle more than two weeks ago, is still incapacitated from work.

The Bessemer steel plant, at Danville, yesterday closed down for an indefinite period. There has been a lull in the iron market recently, and the utter inability to dispose of the plant's product is the cause of the shut-down. We sincerely hope that the inactivity will be of short duration.

C. H. Reimard and brother Harvey, are the proprietors of a new enterprise in the shape of a steam laundry. It is located on the Dr. McReynolds lot near West street and has been christened the White Star Laundry. The proprietors are industrious and persevering gentlemen and will no doubt be successful.

A little girl named Sophia Wilhelmina Elasser, aged 5 years, was killed at the circus ground in Williamsport last Friday week. A gust of wind blew a pole of a side show down which struck her and injured her so severely that she died in about an hour and a half afterwards. The management of the Forepaugh show promptly settled with the parents, paying them $500 and also paying for the casket and all expenses of the funeral.

The Clinton County *Democrat* says that manifold blessings were recently showered on Wilton Mellot, a farmer of that county. A few nights ago his wife presented him with lusty twins. In the morning when he went to the barn, he found that one of his best cows, during the night had given birth to twin calves, and in the sheep pen, he discovered that a ewe had twin lambs. A peculiarity of the occurrence is that one of each sex made up the three pairs.

We are nearing Memorial Day, and its coming should remind us that the cemetery lot needs some care and attention. We are all interested in that day, but doubly so is the veteran. His mind goes back to the 60's, when he shouldered a musket in defense of his home and his country. He thinks of his comrades, who have answered the final roll call, and knows that he, too, is nearing the fulfillment of nature's decree. The number who will march to the cemetery this year will be diminished from that of last year, and this dimunition should serve as a reminder and act as a stimulus to the people in general to keep alive the decorative feature, which has become time honored, and thus care for the resting places of the veterans who have gone to final bivouac.

## TOWN COUNCIL.

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Mr. Hendershott, and all others in town, whose pavements are in need of repair, that same should be done immediately.

On motion, duly seconded, land was accepted from Utt estate, on Catharine street, between Third and Fourth, for the purpose of opening a public alley, providing the said estate defrays all expenses.

C. C. Yetter, Esq., representing a number of property owners on West Fifth street, appeared and asked Council to change the crossing of West to intersection of Jefferson street, the location formerly agreed upon by Council.

On motion, duly seconded, said crossing was ordered changed.

Walter C. Trappe handed in his resignation as town electrician, and same was accepted. Michael Tracey was elected on the third ballot to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Trappe, at a salary same as last year—$5.00 per month.

Street Commissioner Neyhard was notified to secure bids on iron crossing plates and report at next meeting, at which time a number will be ordered and placed at various crossings.

Crossing at Fifth street ordered repaired.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

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| Town Auditors | $ 27 00 |
| Bloom Water Co. | 101 67 |
| Moyer Bros. | 9 60 |
| Creasy & Wells | 73 00 |
| Moyer Bros. | 9 60 |
| Am. Gas Light Co. | 8 45 |
| Am. Electric Light Co. | 435 10 |
| H. P. Chamberlin. | 4 00 |
| Columbian | 25 75 |
| Water Co. | 22 18 |
| I. Hagenbuch. | 12 50 |
| Steam & Electric Light Co. | 27 19 |
| W. C. Trappe. | 6 00 |
| Viaduct Mfg. Co. | 22 02 |
| C. W. Hassert. | 12 00 |
| Am. Car & Foundry Co. | 20 78 |
| Police. | 7 50 |

Charles Krug asked Council to place crossing across alley below his residence on Third street. On motion, duly seconded, crossing was ordered laid.

Chestnut alley was reported in bad condition. Referred to Street Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, a crossing was ordered laid across alley on West Main street, between the residences of William Quick and Geo. Yost.

Chief of Police Wesley Knorr appeared and asked the privilege of purchasing two cheap suits, instead of the one good suit given him by town. Amount, however, not to exceed the former price of suit. Request granted.

On motion, duly seconded, a notice is to be published in the local newspapers requesting the citizens to remove ashes, rubbish, &c., from alleys and premises.

The matter of citizens working out taxes was discussed at length and finally laid on the table.

Town Treasurer Carpenter appeared and stated that there was not enough money in treasury to pay bills for which orders have already been drawn.

On motion, duly seconded, Council decided to borrow $1,000 for a few months.

Chairman John, of the finance committee, was requested to hand in a statement of the tax rate at next meeting.

On motion, duly seconded, the Charles E. Hower barn, on Pine alley, was rented, at $3 per month, for the purpose of storing brick, etc.

Friendship Fire Co., No. 1, asked that Council give them permission to utilize small plot of ground, near town hall, for flower bed. Granted.

The following ward policemen were chosen for the coming year:

First Ward: Thomas Moyer, Wm. Shaw, A. M. Wintersteen, Arlington Shultz, and D. R. Coffman at Court House.

Second Ward: George Yost, James Reeser, Thomas Morris and Benjamin Burrows.

Third Ward: B. W. Hagenbuch, Geo. Hartman, Geo. B. Martin and Robert Long.

Fourth Ward: Isaiah Ohl, John Corbett, William Dietterick and Samuel Yost.

Frank Beers was chosen policeman at Rosemont Cemetery, by request of said Cemetery Co. Adjourned.

The celebration of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs Wm. Masteller was a very pleasant affair at the couple's home in Orangeville on Thursday. Children, grand children and great grand children were present to the number of 24.

## THE CIVIC CLUB.

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one very much needed in Bloomsburg. The object of this department will surely appeal to every woman who has been the victim of deceiving, unworthy creatures, who, by most outrageous falsehoods, have wrought upon her best emotions; who, through sympathy, excited by fraud, have received money and other things, entailing sacrifice upon the part of the generous givers, while the really needy have suffered through want of being known, or because there is nothing left for them It is the duty of every one to make every dollar they own do the full work of each one of its hundred cents, and to remember that, no matter how many or how few one has, every dollar spent in one direction must be done without in another direction.

Every woman has just so much money and so much power, and it is the duty of each one to find just where that money and that power will do best service, and even then, we find that there is not enough of either to cover everything.

Organized charity does the best work, because it is able, through appointed committees, to do thorough work, and we can certainly manage so that next winter no one in Bloomsburg will go cold or hungry; that not at the expense of the really needy and suffering, shall imposters be catered to, and idleness and immorality encouraged.

Every woman can become an active member of this club by the payment of fifty cents *a year*. This will be the only payment required. If there are any elderly women or invalids who feel that by age or lack of strength they can do no work, they can, by the payment of one dollar annually, be enrolled as honorary members of the club, and will be privileged to attend its meetings.

The work will not come heavily upon any one if a goodly number join. The truism that "many hands make light work," will be once more realized, and it is to be hoped that as many as possible will be enrolled as members of the Woman's Civic Club of Bloomsburg.

## COURT PROCEEDINGS CONTINUED.

Commonwealth vs. Henry Kober. Charge, assault with intent, etc. Defendant pleads not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. David Gunther. Charge, assault and battery. Bill ignored. Court sentenced Dora E. Hill, prosecutor, to pay costs, etc.

Bond of O. J. Hess, collector of taxes for Fishingcreek township, approved.

Commonwealth vs. Nathaniel Ney. Continued to next session.

Commonwealth vs. Jno. Chamberlin. Continued to next session.

Commonwealth vs. Williams. Continued to next session.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelley. Charge, larceny. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Jno. Chamberlin. Charge, adultery. A true bill.

Hotel license of A. B. Fortner situated in Centralia, transferred to Zach Kreisher.

Estate of Daniel Morris. Petition for specific performance of contract. Citation directed to issue.

Commonwealth vs. Andrew Drugalis. Charge, assault with intent. Defendant pleads not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Jas. Steel. Charge f. and b. Defendant pleads guilty. Court sentenced defendant Jas. Steel to pay costs of prosecution, $50; and as lying in expenses the further sum of $25; and the further sum of $150 for the support of the child up until this time, and alao pay quarterly for the support of the child at the rate of $1 50 a week until the child arrives at the age of seven years, if it shall so long live, and enter in security to indemnify the Poor Overseers of Cleveland Poor District against the support of the child in the sum of $300. Stands committed until sentence is complied with.

Commonwealth vs. Ellas Hampton. Charge f. and b. Defendant pleads guilty. The sentence of the Court is that he pay a fine of $50 to the Commonwealth and that he pay as laying in expenses the further sum of $25 and pay for the support of the child up until this time the sum of $50, that he pay weekly until the child arrives at the age of seven years, if it shall so long live, the sum of $1.25 payable quarterly and give bond of indemnity to the Overseers of the Poor of Roaring Creek Poor District, for the support of the child, indemnifying them against any charges of expenses for the support of the child, in the meantime stands committed until sentence is complied with.

Commonwealth vs. Jesse Rambo. Charge, forgery. Defendant plead guilty. Hearing in open court.

Commonwealth vs. Jesse Rambo. Charge, larceny. Defendant plead guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. McHenry. Charge, larceny. Defendant plead not guilty.

Estate of Samuel Henrie. Return of sale confirmed nisi.

Commonwealth vs. Walter DeFrain. Charge assault and battery. Not a true bill. County to pay costs.

Commonwealth vs. Nathaniel Ney. Charge, larceny. Noll Pros. on payment of costs.

Sheriff W. W. Black acknowledged the following deeds in open Court:

To C. A. Small, land in Beaver township.

To James Aglesbury, land in Catawissa.

To First National Bank of Shamokin, land in Centralia.

To C. F. Seely, land in Benton.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelley. Charge, burglary and larceny. Noll Pros. allowed as to the charge of burglary. Defendant pleads not guilty as to charge of larceny.

Deed of W. W. Black, trustee for Benton Shirt Mfg. Co., acknowledged to John F. Wright.

Commonwealth vs. Peter Drugaski. Charge, lewdness. Not a true bill. Prosecutor, Eva Latkaski, to pay the costs.

Geo. Fisher, Samuel Neyhart and Charles Harder were appointed viewers to view site for county bridge over Musser run, in Cleveland township.

Commonwealth vs. C. J. Coleman. Charge, embezzlement. Noll Pros. on payment of costs.

In re county bridge over Little Roaringcreek, between Columbia and Northumberland counties, near Jno. Sanders', in Cleveland township, approved by the grand jury, on condition that the township erect the side structure and county to erect the superstructure and said bridge to be kept in repair by the said township of Cleveland.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelley. Charge, larceny. Verdict, guilty.

Jno. G. McHenry, Admr. of C. B. McHenry, vs. Borough of Benton. Petition for appointment of viewers to assess damages.

C. A. Edson, D. E. Keeler and R. L. Siegfried appointed viewers.

Estate of Earl Hess. Report of Auditors confirmed nisi.

Commonwealth vs. Frank Snyder Charge larceny. Verdict guilty. Court suspended sentence and defendant was discharged.

Commonwealth vs. Jesse Rambo. Charge forgery and larceny. Defendant plead guilty. Case of forgery sentence suspended. Court sentenced defendant to restore stolen goods, fine $15.00, costs of prosecution and 30 days in county jail.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelly. Charge larceny. Verdict guilty. Court sentenced defendant to pay a fine of $25.00, costs of prosecution, undergo imprisonment in the Huntingdon Reformatory until discharged by the managers. Sheriff to conduct him there within ten days and to be allowed an assistant.

Commonwealth vs. Henry Kober. Charge assault with intent. Verdict guilty. Court sentenced defendant to pay costs of prosecution, a fine of $150, undergo 3 years imprisonment in Eastern Penitentiary. Sheriff to conduct him there within ten days and to be allowed one assistant.

Appeal from Register's decision, granting letters to H. A. M'Killip in the estate of Billington Ruckle. Hearing in open court and continued to May 21st, at 10 o'clock.

Michael Long sworn and admitted as a citizen of the United States.

Ada Weaver vs. Chas. Weaver. Libel in divorce. Decree granted on payment of costs.

Edward Billig vs. Ella Rohrbach. Rule granted to dissolve attachment, entered returnable June 1st, 1900.

Brady & O'Conner vs. Benton Manufacturing Co. Petition to stay judgment filed.

Warren Eyer, A. B. Croop and Adam Sult appointed viewers to view a site for public road in Fishingcreek near Norman Masteller's.

J. C. Brown, James Cook and Owen Kostenbauder appointed viewers for a bridge over Roaringcreek in Franklin township.

In re license granted to A. C. Hidlay. Petition presented to revoke. Rule granted returnable May 21, 1900 at 10 a. m.

In re license granted to F. M. Gilmore. Petition to revoke. Rule granted returnable May 21, 1900 at 10 a. m.

John H. Guinn died from heart failure at his home in Catawissa Saturday afternoon. He was about seventy-four years old and leaves to survive him a wife and seven children, all grown to manhood and womanhood. They are Mrs. W. L. Schmick, John F. Guinn and John Guinn, of Sunbury, Mrs. George Hart, of New York; Mrs. C. F. Wentz, of Tamaqua, Mrs. J. F. Fisher, of Catawissa, and Joseph L. Guinn, of this town. He was a respected and useful citizen and was a member of Hoagland Post, G. A. R. The funeral took place on Monday.

When there is a small fire discovered in the day time in a part of the town near the location of one of the fire companies, and that company is on hand, it seems hardly necessary to sound the fire alarm and summon the other companies and all the citizens of the town. This should only be done when it is apparent that more help is needed. A little exercise of judgment in the matter will save some of the firemen a long run for nothing.

Charles Townsend, who hails from Williamsport, entered the Exchange Hotel Friday morning in an intoxicated condition His inability to secure a drink enkindled his anger and he became very abusive. He was ejected from the place by Irwin Snyder, one of the proprietors. During the encounter he struck Snyder in the face, breaking his jaw. Shortly thereafter Townsend was arrested, in the rear of Moyer's Drug Store, for attempting to undress himself. He was arraigned before Mayor Ikeler, and being without funds to pay his fine was locked up.

### A Benefit Musical Recital.

A musical recital will be given in the Normal School Auditorium this evening at 8 o'clock, by Miss Elsie Hicks, assisted by Miss Favi, Miss Bowman and the Y. M. C. A. choir. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of a course of music in Germany for Miss Hicks. Miss Hicks possesses rare musical talent, and it is to be hoped that the townspeople will turn out and thus lend their aid to the worthy object.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1900,

AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M.

TRACT NO. 1.—All that certain piece, parcel, or tract of land, situate in the Township of Orange, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north and east by lot of Elisha Evans, on the south by lot of Matthew Patterson, and on the west by land of Mary Ann Fausey and others, containing

54 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, whereon are erected a large bank barn, a

DWELLING HOUSE,

and other outbuildings.

TRACT NO. 2.—Also, all that certain lot, or parcel of land, situated in the Townships of Fishingcreek and Orange, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, on line of land of Elisha Evans; thence by same north three and one-half degrees, east forty-three and eight-tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of John Keller, south seventy-five and three-quarters degrees, west eighty-five and eight-tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of Samuel McHenry, south three degrees, west forty-three and seven-tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of Abner Evans, north seventy-five and three-quarters degrees, east eighty-six perches to the place of beginning containing

22 ACRES

and fifty-four perches, more or less.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of J. N. Webb vs. Sadie J. Jones and Moore C. Jones, and to be sold as the property of Sadie J. Jones and Moore C. Jones.

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Fancy stripes and plaids, or plain colors, made in all the new shapes, new styles, new colors and black. Beginning at 39c.

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## SALES.

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., Carnelia A. Dent will sell at public sale a valuable house and lot situated on Third street, Scott Town, Bloomsburg, Pa., containing excellent water. a good barn and fruit trees in abundance. Terms made known on day of sale.

### Lunch Supper.

Next Thursday evening, May 24, the Ladies' Auxiliary will serve a supper in the Y. M. C. A. Building, from 5 to 10 o'clock. Price, 15c. Ice cream and cake extra. The patronage of everybody who are interested in the work is earnestly solicited.

Clinton Lloyd, one of the oldest members of the bar of Lycoming county died at his home in Muncy last Thursday.

A. L. Fritz, a prominent farmer of Sugarloaf township, has recovered from an illness that confined him to the house for several months.

The Winona base ball team has received many challenges. The boys will probably go to Montgomery for two games on Memorial Day.

Thos. B. Moore, who accidentally shot himself in the left foot with a flobert rifle more than two weeks ago, is still incapacitated from work.

The Bessemer steel plant, at Danville, yesterday closed down for an indefinite period. There has been a lull in the iron market recently, and the utter inability to dispose of the plant's product is the cause of the shut-down. We sincerely hope that the inactivity will be of short duration.

C. H. Reimard and brother Harvey, are the proprietors of a new enterprise in the shape of a steam laundry. It is located on the Dr. McReynolds lot near West street and has been christened the White Star Laundry. The proprietors are industrious and persevering gentlemen and will no doubt be successful.

A little girl named Sophia Wilhelmina Elasser, aged 5 years, was killed at the circus ground in Williamsport last Friday week. A gust of wind blew a pole of a side show down which struck her and injured her so severely that she died in about an hour and a half afterwards. The management of the Forepaugh show promptly settled with the parents, paying them $500 and also paying for the casket and all expenses of the funeral.

The Clinton County *Democrat* says that manifold blessings were recently showered on Wilton Mellot, a farmer of that county. A few nights ago his wife presented him with lusty twins. In the morning when he went to the barn, he found that one of his best cows, during the night had given birth to twin calves, and in the sheep pen, he discovered that a ewe had twin lambs. A peculiarity of the occurrence is that one of each sex made up the three pairs.

We are nearing Memorial Day, and its coming should remind us that the cemetery lot needs some care and attention. We are all interested in that day, but doubly so is the veteran. His mind goes back to the 60's, when he shouldered a musket in defense of his home and his country. He thinks of his comrades, who have answered the final roll call, and knows that he, too, is nearing the fulfillment of nature's decree. The number who will march to the cemetery this year will be diminished from that of last year, and this dimunition should serve as a reminder and act as a stimulus to the people in general to keep alive the decorative feature, which has become time honored, and thus care for the resting places of the veterans who have gone to final bivouac.

## TOWN COUNCIL.

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Mr. Hendershott, and all others in town, whose pavements are in need of repair, that same should be done immediately.

On motion, duly seconded, land was accepted from Utt estate, on Catharine street, between Third and Fourth, for the purpose of opening a public alley, providing the said estate defrays all expenses.

C. C. Yetter, Esq., representing a number of property owners on West Fifth street, appeared and asked Council to change the crossing of West to intersection of Jefferson street, the location formerly agreed upon by Council.

On motion, duly seconded, said crossing was ordered changed.

Walter C. Trappe handed in his resignation as town electrician, and same was accepted. Michael Tracey was elected on the third ballot to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Trappe, at a salary same as last year—$5.00 per month.

Street Commissioner Neyhard was notified to secure bids on iron crossing plates and report at next meeting, at which time a number will be ordered and placed at various crossings.

Crossing at Fifth street ordered repaired.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

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| Town Auditors | $ 27 00 |
| Bloom Water Co. | 101 67 |
| Moyer Bros. | 9 60 |
| Creasy & Wells | 73 00 |
| Moyer Bros. | 9 60 |
| Am. Gas Light Co. | 8 45 |
| Am. Electric Light Co. | 435 10 |
| H. P. Chamberlin. | 4 00 |
| Columbian | 25 75 |
| Water Co. | 22 18 |
| I. Hagenbuch. | 12 50 |
| Steam & Electric Light Co. | 27 19 |
| W. C. Trappe. | 6 00 |
| Viaduct Mfg. Co. | 22 02 |
| C. W. Hassert. | 12 00 |
| Am. Car & Foundry Co. | 20 78 |
| Police. | 7 50 |

Charles Krug asked Council to place crossing across alley below his residence on Third street. On motion, duly seconded, crossing was ordered laid.

Chestnut alley was reported in bad condition. Referred to Street Committee.

On motion, duly seconded, a crossing was ordered laid across alley on West Main street, between the residences of William Quick and Geo. Yost.

Chief of Police Wesley Knorr appeared and asked the privilege of purchasing two cheap suits, instead of the one good suit given him by town. Amount, however, not to exceed the former price of suit. Request granted.

On motion, duly seconded, a notice is to be published in the local newspapers requesting the citizens to remove ashes, rubbish, &c., from alleys and premises.

The matter of citizens working out taxes was discussed at length and finally laid on the table.

Town Treasurer Carpenter appeared and stated that there was not enough money in treasury to pay bills for which orders have already been drawn.

On motion, duly seconded, Council decided to borrow $1,000 for a few months.

Chairman John, of the finance committee, was requested to hand in a statement of the tax rate at next meeting.

On motion, duly seconded, the Charles E. Hower barn, on Pine alley, was rented, at $3 per month, for the purpose of storing brick, etc.

Friendship Fire Co., No. 1, asked that Council give them permission to utilize small plot of ground, near town hall, for flower bed. Granted.

The following ward policemen were chosen for the coming year:

First Ward: Thomas Moyer, Wm. Shaw, A. M. Wintersteen, Arlington Shultz, and D. R. Coffman at Court House.

Second Ward: George Yost, James Reeser, Thomas Morris and Benjamin Burrows.

Third Ward: B. W. Hagenbuch, Geo. Hartman, Geo. B. Martin and Robert Long.

Fourth Ward: Isaiah Ohl, John Corbett, William Dietterick and Samuel Yost.

Frank Beers was chosen policeman at Rosemont Cemetery, by request of said Cemetery Co. Adjourned.

The celebration of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs Wm. Masteller was a very pleasant affair at the couple's home in Orangeville on Thursday. Children, grand children and great grand children were present to the number of 24.

## THE CIVIC CLUB.

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one very much needed in Bloomsburg. The object of this department will surely appeal to every woman who has been the victim of deceiving, unworthy creatures, who, by most outrageous falsehoods, have wrought upon her best emotions; who, through sympathy, excited by fraud, have received money and other things, entailing sacrifice upon the part of the generous givers, while the really needy have suffered through want of being known, or because there is nothing left for them It is the duty of every one to make every dollar they own do the full work of each one of its hundred cents, and to remember that, no matter how many or how few one has, every dollar spent in one direction must be done without in another direction.

Every woman has just so much money and so much power, and it is the duty of each one to find just where that money and that power will do best service, and even then, we find that there is not enough of either to cover everything.

Organized charity does the best work, because it is able, through appointed committees, to do thorough work, and we can certainly manage so that next winter no one in Bloomsburg will go cold or hungry; that not at the expense of the really needy and suffering, shall imposters be catered to, and idleness and immorality encouraged.

Every woman can become an active member of this club by the payment of fifty cents *a year*. This will be the only payment required. If there are any elderly women or invalids who feel that by age or lack of strength they can do no work, they can, by the payment of one dollar annually, be enrolled as honorary members of the club, and will be privileged to attend its meetings.

The work will not come heavily upon any one if a goodly number join. The truism that "many hands make light work," will be once more realized, and it is to be hoped that as many as possible will be enrolled as members of the Woman's Civic Club of Bloomsburg.

## COURT PROCEEDINGS CONTINUED.

Commonwealth vs. Henry Kober. Charge, assault with intent, etc. Defendant pleads not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. David Gunther. Charge, assault and battery. Bill ignored. Court sentenced Dora E. Hill, prosecutor, to pay costs, etc.

Bond of O. J. Hess, collector of taxes for Fishingcreek township, approved.

Commonwealth vs. Nathaniel Ney. Continued to next session.

Commonwealth vs. Jno. Chamberlin. Continued to next session.

Commonwealth vs. Williams. Continued to next session.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelley. Charge, larceny. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Jno. Chamberlin. Charge, adultery. A true bill.

Hotel license of A. B. Fortner situated in Centralia, transferred to Zach Kreisher.

Estate of Daniel Morris. Petition for specific performance of contract. Citation directed to issue.

Commonwealth vs. Andrew Drugalis. Charge, assault with intent. Defendant pleads not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Jas. Steel. Charge f. and b. Defendant pleads guilty. Court sentenced defendant Jas. Steel to pay costs of prosecution, $50; and as lying in expenses the further sum of $25; and the further sum of $150 for the support of the child up until this time, and alao pay quarterly for the support of the child at the rate of $1 50 a week until the child arrives at the age of seven years, if it shall so long live, and enter in security to indemnify the Poor Overseers of Cleveland Poor District against the support of the child in the sum of $300. Stands committed until sentence is complied with.

Commonwealth vs. Ellas Hampton. Charge f. and b. Defendant pleads guilty. The sentence of the Court is that he pay a fine of $50 to the Commonwealth and that he pay as laying in expenses the further sum of $25 and pay for the support of the child up until this time the sum of $50, that he pay weekly until the child arrives at the age of seven years, if it shall so long live, the sum of $1.25 payable quarterly and give bond of indemnity to the Overseers of the Poor of Roaring Creek Poor District, for the support of the child, indemnifying them against any charges of expenses for the support of the child, in the meantime stands committed until sentence is complied with.

Commonwealth vs. Jesse Rambo. Charge, forgery. Defendant plead guilty. Hearing in open court.

Commonwealth vs. Jesse Rambo. Charge, larceny. Defendant plead guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. McHenry. Charge, larceny. Defendant plead not guilty.

Estate of Samuel Henrie. Return of sale confirmed nisi.

Commonwealth vs. Walter DeFrain. Charge assault and battery. Not a true bill. County to pay costs.

Commonwealth vs. Nathaniel Ney. Charge, larceny. Noll Pros. on payment of costs.

Sheriff W. W. Black acknowledged the following deeds in open Court:

To C. A. Small, land in Beaver township.

To James Aglesbury, land in Catawissa.

To First National Bank of Shamokin, land in Centralia.

To C. F. Seely, land in Benton.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelley. Charge, burglary and larceny. Noll Pros. allowed as to the charge of burglary. Defendant pleads not guilty as to charge of larceny.

Deed of W. W. Black, trustee for Benton Shirt Mfg. Co., acknowledged to John F. Wright.

Commonwealth vs. Peter Drugaski. Charge, lewdness. Not a true bill. Prosecutor, Eva Latkaski, to pay the costs.

Geo. Fisher, Samuel Neyhart and Charles Harder were appointed viewers to view site for county bridge over Musser run, in Cleveland township.

Commonwealth vs. C. J. Coleman. Charge, embezzlement. Noll Pros. on payment of costs.

In re county bridge over Little Roaringcreek, between Columbia and Northumberland counties, near Jno. Sanders', in Cleveland township, approved by the grand jury, on condition that the township erect the side structure and county to erect the superstructure and said bridge to be kept in repair by the said township of Cleveland.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelley. Charge, larceny. Verdict, guilty.

Jno. G. McHenry, Admr. of C. B. McHenry, vs. Borough of Benton. Petition for appointment of viewers to assess damages.

C. A. Edson, D. E. Keeler and R. L. Siegfried appointed viewers.

Estate of Earl Hess. Report of Auditors confirmed nisi.

Commonwealth vs. Frank Snyder Charge larceny. Verdict guilty. Court suspended sentence and defendant was discharged.

Commonwealth vs. Jesse Rambo. Charge forgery and larceny. Defendant plead guilty. Case of forgery sentence suspended. Court sentenced defendant to restore stolen goods, fine $15.00, costs of prosecution and 30 days in county jail.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kelly. Charge larceny. Verdict guilty. Court sentenced defendant to pay a fine of $25.00, costs of prosecution, undergo imprisonment in the Huntingdon Reformatory until discharged by the managers. Sheriff to conduct him there within ten days and to be allowed an assistant.

Commonwealth vs. Henry Kober. Charge assault with intent. Verdict guilty. Court sentenced defendant to pay costs of prosecution, a fine of $150, undergo 3 years imprisonment in Eastern Penitentiary. Sheriff to conduct him there within ten days and to be allowed one assistant.

Appeal from Register's decision, granting letters to H. A. M'Killip in the estate of Billington Ruckle. Hearing in open court and continued to May 21st, at 10 o'clock.

Michael Long sworn and admitted as a citizen of the United States.

Ada Weaver vs. Chas. Weaver. Libel in divorce. Decree granted on payment of costs.

Edward Billig vs. Ella Rohrbach. Rule granted to dissolve attachment, entered returnable June 1st, 1900.

Brady & O'Conner vs. Benton Manufacturing Co. Petition to stay judgment filed.

Warren Eyer, A. B. Croop and Adam Sult appointed viewers to view a site for public road in Fishingcreek near Norman Masteller's.

J. C. Brown, James Cook and Owen Kostenbauder appointed viewers for a bridge over Roaringcreek in Franklin township.

In re license granted to A. C. Hidlay. Petition presented to revoke. Rule granted returnable May 21,1900 at 10 a. m.

In re license granted to F. M. Gilmore. Petition to revoke. Rule granted returnable May 21, 1900 at 10 a. m.

John H. Guinn died from heart failure at his home in Catawissa Saturday afternoon. He was about seventy-four years old and leaves to survive him a wife and seven children, all grown to manhood and womanhood. They are Mrs. W. L. Schmick, John F. Guinn and John Guinn, of Sunbury, Mrs. George Hart, of New York; Mrs. C. F. Wentz, of Tamaqua, Mrs. J. F. Fisher, of Catawissa, and Joseph L. Guinn, of this town. He was a respected and useful citizen and was a member of Hoagland Post, G. A. R. The funeral took place on Monday.

When there is a small fire discovered in the day time in a part of the town near the location of one of the fire companies, and that company is on hand, it seems hardly necessary to sound the fire alarm and summon the other companies and all the citizens of the town. This should only be done when it is apparent that more help is needed. A little exercise of judgment in the matter will save some of the firemen a long run for nothing.

Charles Townsend, who hails from Williamsport, entered the Exchange Hotel Friday morning in an intoxicated condition His inability to secure a drink enkindled his anger and he became very abusive. He was ejected from the place by Irwin Snyder, one of the proprietors. During the encounter he struck Snyder in the face, breaking his jaw. Shortly thereafter Townsend was arrested, in the rear of Moyer's Drug Store, for attempting to undress himself. He was arraigned before Mayor Ikeler, and being without funds to pay his fine was locked up.

### A Benefit Musical Recital.

A musical recital will be given in the Normal School Auditorium this evening at 8 o'clock, by Miss Elsie Hicks, assisted by Miss Favi, Miss Bowman and the Y. M. C. A. choir. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of a course of music in Germany for Miss Hicks. Miss Hicks possesses rare musical talent, and it is to be hoped that the townspeople will turn out and thus lend their aid to the worthy object.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1900,

AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M.

TRACT NO. 1.—All that certain piece, parcel, or tract of land, situate in the Township of Orange, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north and east by lot of Elisha Evans, on the south by lot of Matthew Patterson, and on the west by land of Mary Ann Fausey and others, containing

54 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, whereon are erected a large bank barn, a

DWELLING HOUSE,

and other outbuildings.

TRACT NO. 2.—Also, all that certain lot, or parcel of land, situated in the Townships of Fishingcreek and Orange, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, on line of land of Elisha Evans; thence by same north three and one-half degrees, east forty-three and eight-tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of John Keller, south seventy-five and three-quarters degrees, west eighty-five and eight-tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of Samuel McHenry, south three degrees, west forty-three and seven-tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of Abner Evans, north seventy-five and three-quarters degrees, east eighty-six perches to the place of beginning containing

22 ACRES

and fifty-four perches, more or less.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of J. N. Webb vs. Sadie J. Jones and Moore C. Jones, and to be sold as the property of Sadie J. Jones and Moore C. Jones.

W. W. BLACK, Sheriff.

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Nicely corded down the front and back and sleeves. All new colors. $3 98.

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